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COMMENT OF THE DAY

KASHMIR DISPUTE

INDIA'S rejection of the United Nations resolution that Dr Frank Graham make a fresh attempt to negotiate a settlement of the Kashmir dispute on the grounds that it is totally unacceptable is hardly likely to endear the country to the other nations in Asia.

In fact, the Philippines representative in the Security Council, General Carlos Romulo, speaking as "an Asian to another Asian," has publicly deplored the Indian attitude and in this he has been backed up by the Iraqi representative, Mr Hashim Jawad.

When the debate opened Mr Krishna Menon, the Indian Defence Minister, launched a tirade of abuse which did nothing to contribute towards reaching a settlement.

It had the opposite effect, not only on those members who can afford to stand on the sidelines but also on the nations India has been trying to influence through her neutralist attitude in world affairs.

SICK MAN

Mr Menon is a sick man and his health may have caused him to allow his tongue to run away and shout vitriolic insults at other members of the Council.

Mr Nehru might be well advised to recall Mr Menon for his health's sake and for the sake of India's good name in world affairs before the Defence Minister alienates the sympathy of the other nations who have looked upon India as the leader in Asia.

India is quite adamant in her attitude towards Kashmir and she does not appear to be making an effort to resolve the problem through the good offices of the United Nations, the organization formed to adjudicate in international disputes.

REGRETTABLE

It is also regrettable that the previous United Nations representative, Mr Gunnar Jarring, who investigated the position in Pakistan and India earlier this year, was unable to make any concrete proposals for solving the problem.

At the time Mr Jarring said he could not fail to take note of the concern expressed in connection with the changing political, economic and strategic factors surrounding the whole of the Kashmir question.

While the situation has not deteriorated rapidly since Mr Jarring's investigation the fact is that nothing has been done to help matters and a festering sore remains to be healed.

It therefore moves not only India, but the other members of the United Nations, to find an answer which will be readily acceptable to both sides or at least agree on a basis for negotiation and not allow the subject to become a perennial item on the agenda of the United Nations.



SIR EDWIN PLOWDEN

Anglo-US Atomic Chiefs Confer

More Co-operation

Washington, Nov. 21. Sir Edwin Plowden, Chief of Britain's Atomic Energy Authority, arrived here today for talks on means of developing an exchange of scientific and atomic information between the United States and Britain.

Sir Edwin said that he was in the United States Capital for a brief visit to continue the talks which he held with American atomic chiefs during the conference between President Eisenhower and Mr Harold Macmillan, Britain's Prime Minister, last month.

The President and the Prime Minister agreed, in the light of the Soviet Union's scientific

and military achievements, to study the question of greater co-operation.

One of the chief objectives of the North Atlantic Treaty "Summit" meeting in Paris next month is to plan for greater scientific and political co-operation within the Atlantic Alliance.

Sir Edwin conferred with Mr Lewis Strauss, Chairman of the US Atomic Energy Commission, shortly after his arrival in

Washington. He said he would continue his talks at a dinner with Mr Strauss to-night.

Sir Edwin was the first of a group of British Defence and Atomic Chiefs arriving here this week to continue the exchanges which the President and Mr Macmillan opened at the White House.

Sir Richard Powell, Permanent Secretary of the British Defence Ministry, was another high official expected here during the weekend. Sir Edwin, who declined to go beyond his brief statement, expects to leave for London on Monday.—Reuter.

RUSSIA TO USE VETO AGAIN

Kashmir Dispute May Go To UN General Assembly

United Nations, Nov. 21. The Soviet Union declared today it would veto the Western resolution to ask Dr Frank Graham, United Nations representative for India and Pakistan, to seek a negotiated settlement of the Kashmir dispute.

US To Make Space Platforms

Washington, Nov. 21. The United States is conducting research programmes to launch space platforms of considerable size, it was announced today.

Lieutenant-General C. S. Irvine, the Air Force Deputy Chief of Staff for Material, said in a speech that the US also had active research programmes under way to develop manned ballistic vehicles.

General Irvine said the space vehicle programme was not pushed in the past because the Air Force felt its primary task was the defence of the United States against air attack and swift retaliation.

PROGRESSION
He said the new programmes would "take their place in the logical progression of air-space weapons systems."

The General said he was convinced that one of the three services could develop and launch a space vehicle of considerable size and added that certain US rockets and propulsion systems have the capability to place a satellite in the Earth's orbit.

General Irvine added he was "absolutely certain" that in the next major conflict control of space would determine final victory.—Reuter.

TOO FAT

Honolulu, Nov. 21. The Hawaiian Rural Council today ordered 50 new chairs for its members because its members are getting too fat for the old ones.—United Press.

Communist Smuggling Ring In Hongkong

Our Own Correspondent
Singapore, Nov. 21. Special Branch officers in Singapore said on Thursday that a Red ring based in Hongkong was smuggling Communist agents from China into Singapore and Malaya.

On Thursday morning they caught seven Chinese stowaways after a surprise check of the British freighter Dorintha. All the men lived in Malaya. They had gone to Fukien province in China five years ago. They crossed the border into Hongkong and were smuggled by agents aboard the Dorintha. During the voyage, they posed as crew members.

AMPLE SUPPLY
They all had ample supply of Malayan currency and when questioned, each gave stock reply. "We found life difficult in Red China and wanted to return to Malaya." One of them even held Malayan identity card.

This is second time in the month that Red Chinese stowaways tried to enter Singapore posing as crew. Two weeks ago, four men were found on a Dutch ship when it docked at Singapore.

The men will be detained for close questioning. There is no decision yet as to what will be done to these men.
HK SPOKESMAN
An earlier report said that the Singapore Police would pass on the information obtained from the stowaways to the Hongkong Police to help crack down the ring here.

A Hongkong Police spokesman said this morning that "We are looking into this report. Whatever information the Singapore Police could give us will be of great help, of course."

STUDENTS REFUSE TO TALK

Washington, Nov. 21. Two American students who have returned from a visit to China have refused to testify before the US House of Representatives UN-American Activities Committee, Francis Walter, Democrat Representative (Pennsylvania) said here today.

The students, Morris Block and Harry Blockberg, even refused to give their ages, Mr Walter said. Block replied to this question that he was over 21. All we have been able to find out from them is that they have been travelling abroad, Mr Walter added.—France-Press.

Algerian Mediation Offer By Bourguiba And King Of Morocco

Rabat, Nov. 21. King Mohammed V of Morocco and Tunisian President Habib Bourguiba offered tonight to mediate between the French and the Algerian Nationalists and help end the three-year-old Algerian rebellion.

Mystery Solved!

Luton, Nov. 21. Work on a million pound building here all but stopped — because of a nude model named Adele.

For days the work slowed down was a mystery to the foremen on a new building beside the Luton School of Art. It was odd that the men always seemed to be on one side of the building. So the foremen played detective and found that the new building had reached a height which gave a perfect view of the life class of art school.

The star attraction was the model who at first was unaware that she was the sole interest of the "working class" as well as the "life class." Adele and the foremen came to the same conclusion about the same time. Heavy sheeting now shrouds the art school windows.—China Mail Special.

EXPLOSION CAUSED BY SABOTAGE

Nicosia, Nov. 21. Police said tonight that an explosion aboard 6,000-ton British freighter, African Prince, in a Cypriot port today was caused by sabotage.

The announcement came within hours after a gaping hole was torn below the waterline of the vessel while it loaded copper ore at the Port of Karavostasi in western Cyprus.

An investigation for possible sabotage was begun even as a Royal Naval repair party boarded the vessel to effect temporary repairs. There were no casualties from the explosion so far known.—United Press.

The mediation offer came at the end of a two-day conference between King Mohammed and Bourguiba. It represented a complete reversal of Moroccan policy and a victory for Bourguiba's ideas.

LONG RESISTED
Morocco has long resisted Bourguiba's plan that it join with Tunisia in offering mediation to the French and the rebel Nationalist Front.

A joint communique declared: "In the face of the conflict that opposes their Algerian brothers to whom so many ties unite them, and their friends the people of France, His Majesty the King of Morocco and His Excellency the President of the Tunisian Republic address a pressing appeal to the two parties to engage in negotiations that might end in a just solution."

GOOD OFFICES
The communique concluded: "To this effect, the two Chiefs of State offer to put their good offices at the disposition of France and of the leaders of the FLN." "They are persuaded that thus an end will be put to the effusion of blood and to that combat which menaces the security and stability of North Africa and peace in that part of the world."—United Press.

Dominion Status Considered

New York, Nov. 21. Archbishop Makarios said today he thought the Cypriot people would be willing to consider a Dominion status in the Commonwealth but insisted that first of all they "must be able to decide what they want to do."

Asked in an interview whether he thought that a Dominion status would satisfy the Cypriot people in their demands for self-determination, the Archbishop said: "I think that would be all right for the people in the British Commonwealth are free to go in and out as they wish. But first the Cypriots must be able to decide for themselves what they want." The Cypriot Church leader also said he was in favour of a UN supervised plebiscite on the island to determine whether the people wanted to be independent, wanted Union with Greece, or wanted to become members of the Commonwealth.—Reuter.

METEOR FALLS

Stockholm, Nov. 21. A meteor weighing 2.2 kilograms fell in a garden in Strommund, Central Sweden last night, it was learned today. The meteor appeared to be composed of granite rock.—France-Press.

US TEXTILE MERCHANTS BLAME HK

New York, Nov. 21. An American cotton textile trade spokesman today cited Japanese and Hongkong imports as contributing in part to the current US textile slump.

W. Ray Bell, President of the Association of Cotton Textile Merchants of New York, said in his annual report that prices were at their lowest in years. Production so far this year is off about seven per cent, with the drop in the final quarter expected to be even greater, he said.

DISCRIMINATES
He urged the US to abandon its policy of selling American cotton abroad at a discount of 20 to 25 per cent the price to American cotton mills. This policy, he said, discriminated against American textile operations and at the same time "has added to already existing handicaps imposed on American producers by statutory wage costs and high taxes to maintain the American standards of living."—United Press.

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- ★ Tenth anniversary for the Queen — BEVERLEY BAXTER MP;
- ★ Zantes of the Ring — GILBERT ODD;
- ★ Disc Dizzy — FREDERICK ELLIS;
- ★ Sweet little English Belinda Lee goes native — goes sultry — goes Italian in the sun — RODERICK MANN.

And, also Anthony Fuller on films, China Mail racing tips, Gibes, Low, Cummings, and all your favourites in the weekend's favourite newspaper.

GIRARD'S CASE STILL NOT CLOSED

Tokyo, Nov. 22. Japanese prosecutors from the Maeda District Court were today still discussing whether or not to appeal in the case of a Japanese woman, sayo, metal scavenger last January. Public opinion and the Japanese press considered the verdict "Too lenient."

A series of discussions between the Maeda District Prosecutors Office and the Tokyo Higher Prosecutors Office began here yesterday.

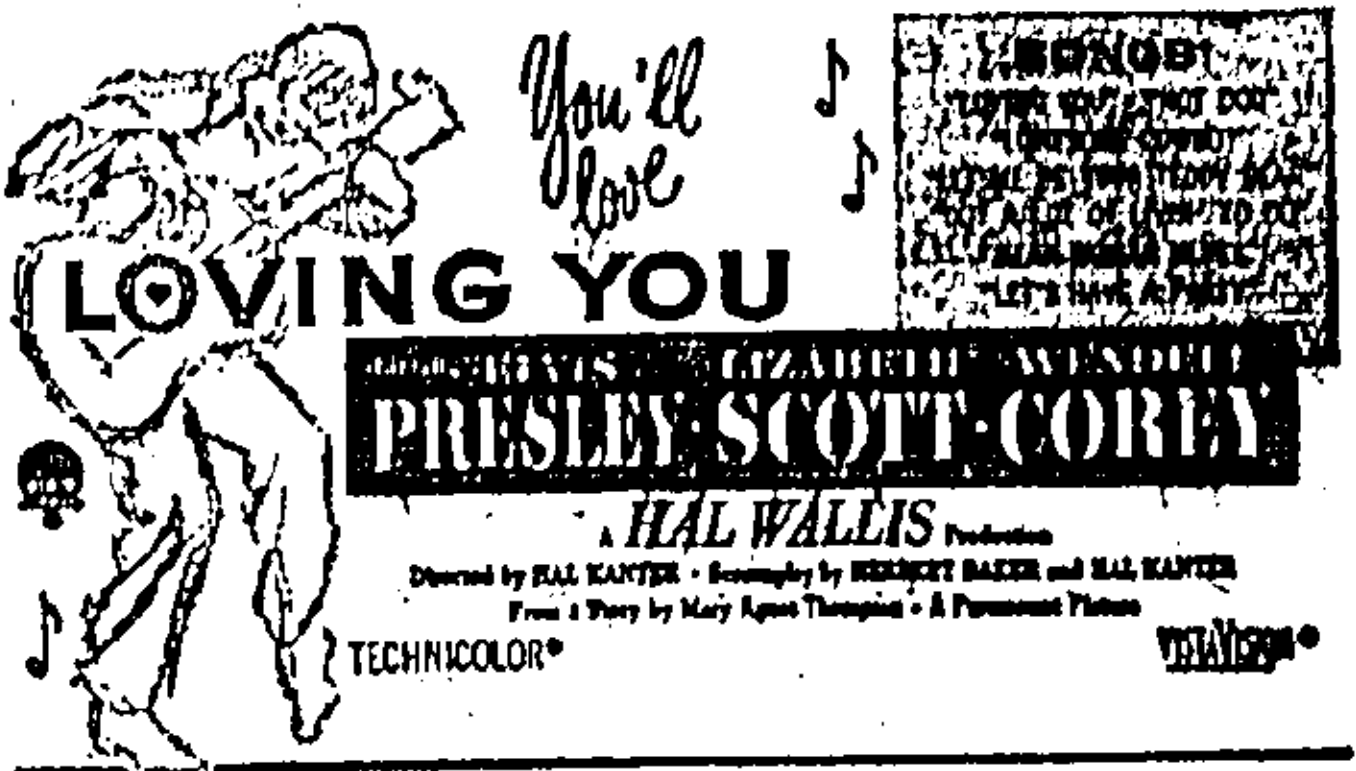
The discussions continued throughout the night and were still going on at one o'clock this morning.—Reuter.

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No Facilities, So Children Turned Away In Pusan

London, Nov. 20. A British doctor said here today that children had to be turned away from the "Save the Children Fund's" medical centre at Pusan, South Korea, because there were not enough facilities for all who needed treatment.

Dr James Peter Flannery, 29, who has just returned home after a year in Korea, said: "When I left Pusan we were only able to treat about 10 of the 100 or so who lined up at the centre from 3 a.m. onwards each day."

But for much of this year there they had been able to treat about 40 of the morning line up of 100.

LIMITED

He said that from December the centre would have to limit its activities to infant welfare, caring for children up to three years old, because of the difficulty of finding money to keep it going. At present it caters for children up to 16.

There had been an annual average of almost 8,000 children treated at the centre, he added. Patients came from as far as Seoul, 300 miles away.

A spokesman of the "Save the Children Fund," which has been active in Korea since 1951, said today that the Pusan centre cost about £20,000 a year to maintain.—Reuter.

Tito Won't Take A Rest Cure

Belgrade, Nov. 21. President Tito of Yugoslavia has been urged by his doctors to take a rest cure in Switzerland, but he so far declined, informed sources said today.

The 65-year-old President who has not been seen in public since October 11, is said to be suffering from bone trouble in his back as well as the acute lumbago which forced him to cancel a projected Far Eastern tour.

The sources said the President considered it would be a "bad advertisement" for Yugoslav medicine if he went to Switzerland to recover.—Reuter.

Ike Ends Holiday, Prepares For Nato Conference

Washington, Nov. 21. President Eisenhower returned here by air today from a golfing holiday in Augusta, Georgia, to resume the shaping of U.S. missile-age policies.

Of immediate concern to the President and his senior advisers, who now include the titular head of the Democratic Party, Mr Adlai Stevenson, are the formulations of proposals to be laid before the heads of Government of the other 14 Nato partners in Paris on the projected ring of intermediate range missile bases to be established in Europe.

These plans are still in the drawing board stage, according to informed observers, although the outlines which are evolving have been made clear by Mr John Foster Dulles, the U.S. Secretary of State, in several recent public statements.

SECURITY

The President will go to Paris hoping for unanimous agreement to go ahead with the concept of establishing launching pads for 1,500-mile missiles in various parts of the continent under conditions similar to those which were agreed upon between himself and Mr Harold Macmillan, the British Prime Minister, in Bermuda last March.

Under the U.S.-U.K. agreement, missiles will be placed in the hands of British forces, but, because of the security aspects of the atomic energy law, nuclear warheads for the missiles will be retained in the technical custody of the United

Japanese Jet "Fell Apart In The Air"

Tokyo, Nov. 22. The Japanese Defence Board today grounded all military aircraft following the crash of an Air Defence Force F-80F sabre jet aircraft into the sea off Misawa, Central Japan.

An official investigation board found that the aircraft "fell apart in the air." The pilot, Air Cadet Officer Yasuo Sakai was officially listed as missing. The investigation board's verdict today suspended all Japanese Air Defence Force flight training and ordered a thorough emergency check to be made on all aircraft.

Today's crash was the 7th accident this year involving F-80F jet aircraft assembled in Japan.—Reuter.

US Plans Huge Missile Site In Wyoming Area

Washington, Nov. 21. The Defence Department announced today that it planned to build a huge missile site in Wyoming, apparently to handle the first Atlas inter-continental ballistic missile.

It said construction of the 65 million site would begin at Francis E. Warren Air Force Base, Cheyenne, "during the middle part" of 1958. The Pentagon did not announce the purpose of the new missile site. But observers gathered from the wording of the announcement that it was intended as a launching base for the 5,500-mile-range Atlas missile.

COMMAND

The announcement said that 4,000 to 5,000 men would be needed "to operate the missile facility." It added that air training command schools now located at the base would be transferred to other training command installations as construction on the base proceeded.

The Pentagon said the Air Force Air Research and Development Command would take over the Warren Base. It was expected to come under command jurisdiction of Maj-Gen. B.A. Schriever, Commander of

Peking Mission's Interest In British Industry

London, Nov. 21. British trade quarters in touch with the Chinese mission here said today it was possible that the visit of Mao Tse-tung to Moscow could be to get better terms for China's needs from Russia.

After their contacts with the Chinese mission, which has been here since October, the British sources said: "There were grounds for belief that China's buying programme will be much more selective than hitherto."

"It is possible that Mao Tse-tung, during the course of his stay in Moscow, tried to find out to what extent and on what terms China's needs can be met from the Soviet Bloc," they said.

Now that a greater range of goods was available from the West, China was in a better position to ask for better terms, and it is difficult to believe that in the past Russian terms have been economically favourable to China, the sources said.

The British sources said their contacts with the Chinese mission had shown that the Chinese had this very much in mind on their current tour of British industrial centres.

"The examination of Western production facilities, of which the present Chinese mission to Britain is typical, is no doubt part of the sweeping re-examination of procurement plans which China is now undertaking," they said.

Unbalanced

It was clear, they said, that the Chinese realised that their economy has become "seriously unbalanced" with the rate of industrial progress outstripping resources, especially in the agricultural field.

"It is obvious now that grandiose projects are not suitable to Chinese needs having regard to the labour situation and to the greater distances to be covered. This is one reason why the second five-year plan has gone back for redrafting, the British sources said.

After intimate discussion with the Chinese mission, the British sources said they had reached these conclusions:— That the Chinese were curbing industrial production to balance with agriculture.

They are concentrating on fertiliser production, water control and irrigation and attacking plant disease. Chinese fuel supplies are receiving great attention. There is a coal shortage despite nearly 100 per cent increased production in the first five-year plan.

No Deals

Greater attention is being paid to gold mining. Cotton supplies are expected to be inadequate because cotton acreage at the expense of food production.

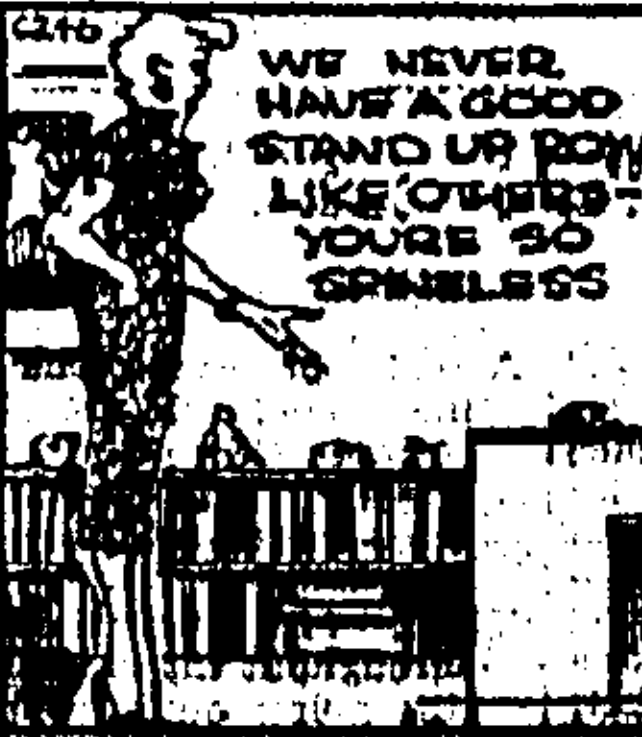
China cannot hope to maintain without outside assistance her present rate of progress industrially or agriculturally. British traders said there had been no actual business discussions with the Chinese mission and that none has been anticipated.

"Also it is not anticipated that orders will materialise until after the mission returns to Peking and reports their findings," the sources said.

The mission's programme and composition of "men with very high technical qualifications and experts in their particular fields" should have purpose, the sources said.

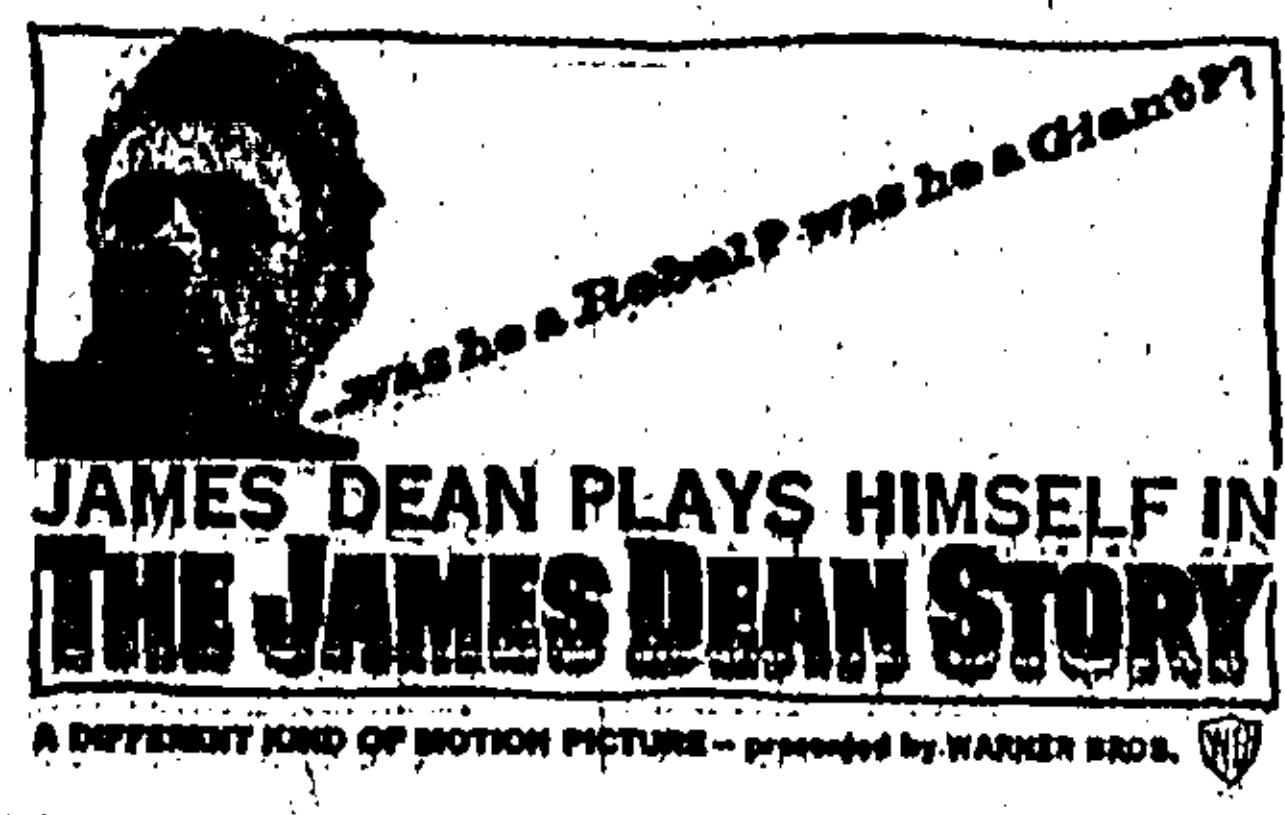
"Doctor Chi Chao-ting, leader of the mission told us that the main object was to obtain a better understanding of industrial and technical achievements in the fields which Britain is 'especially advanced'," the sources said.—United Press.

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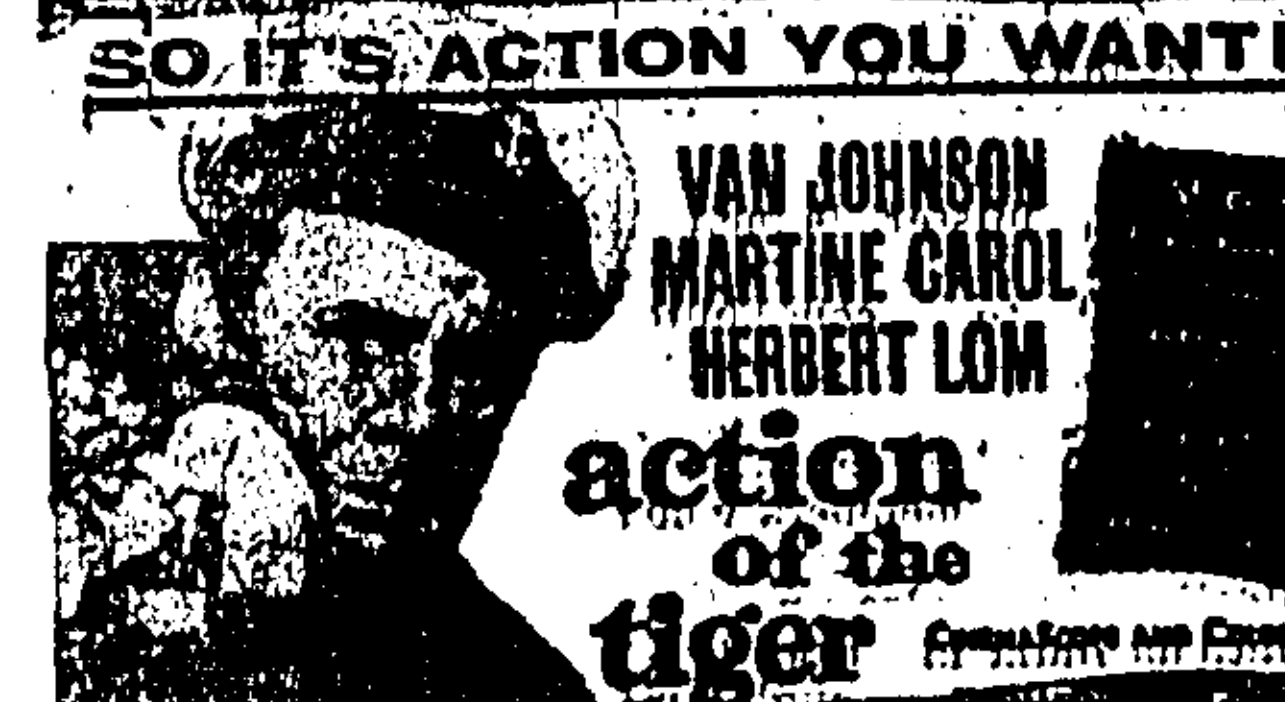
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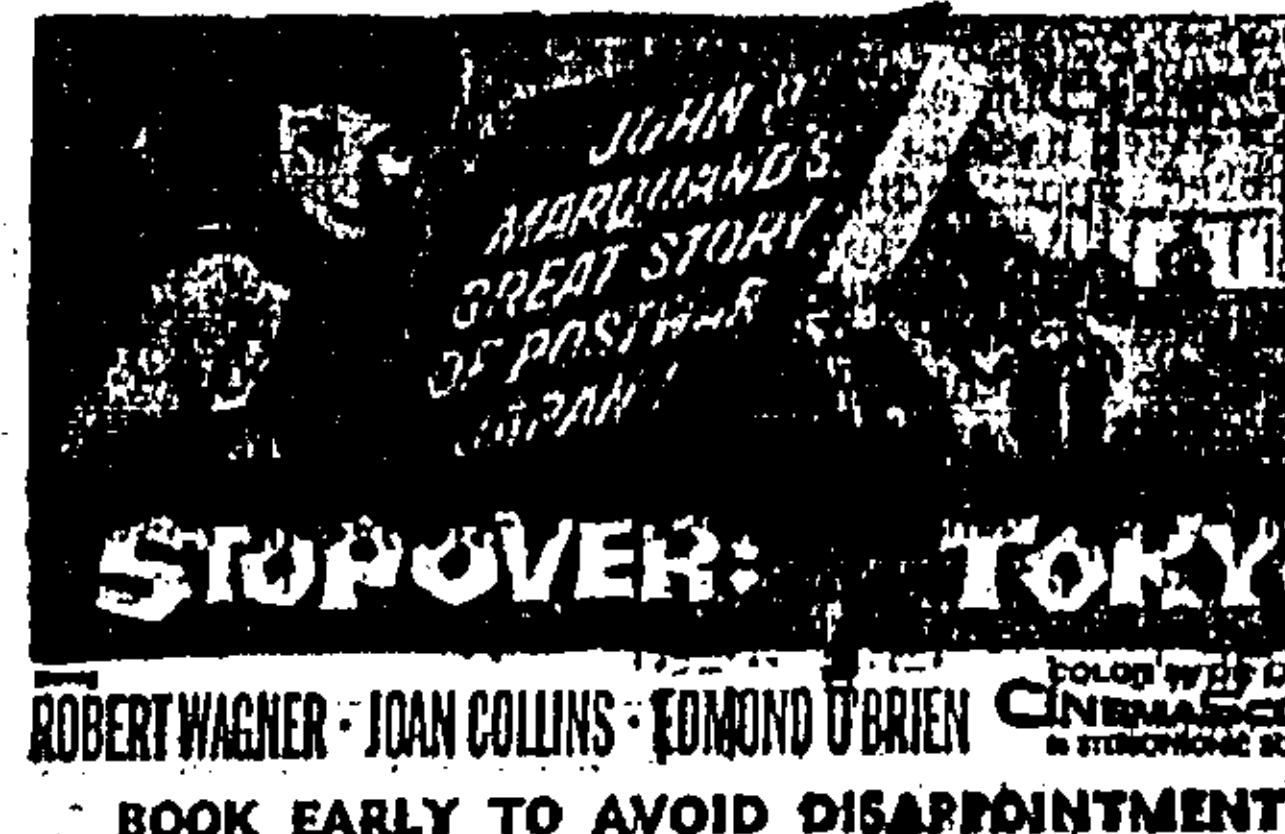
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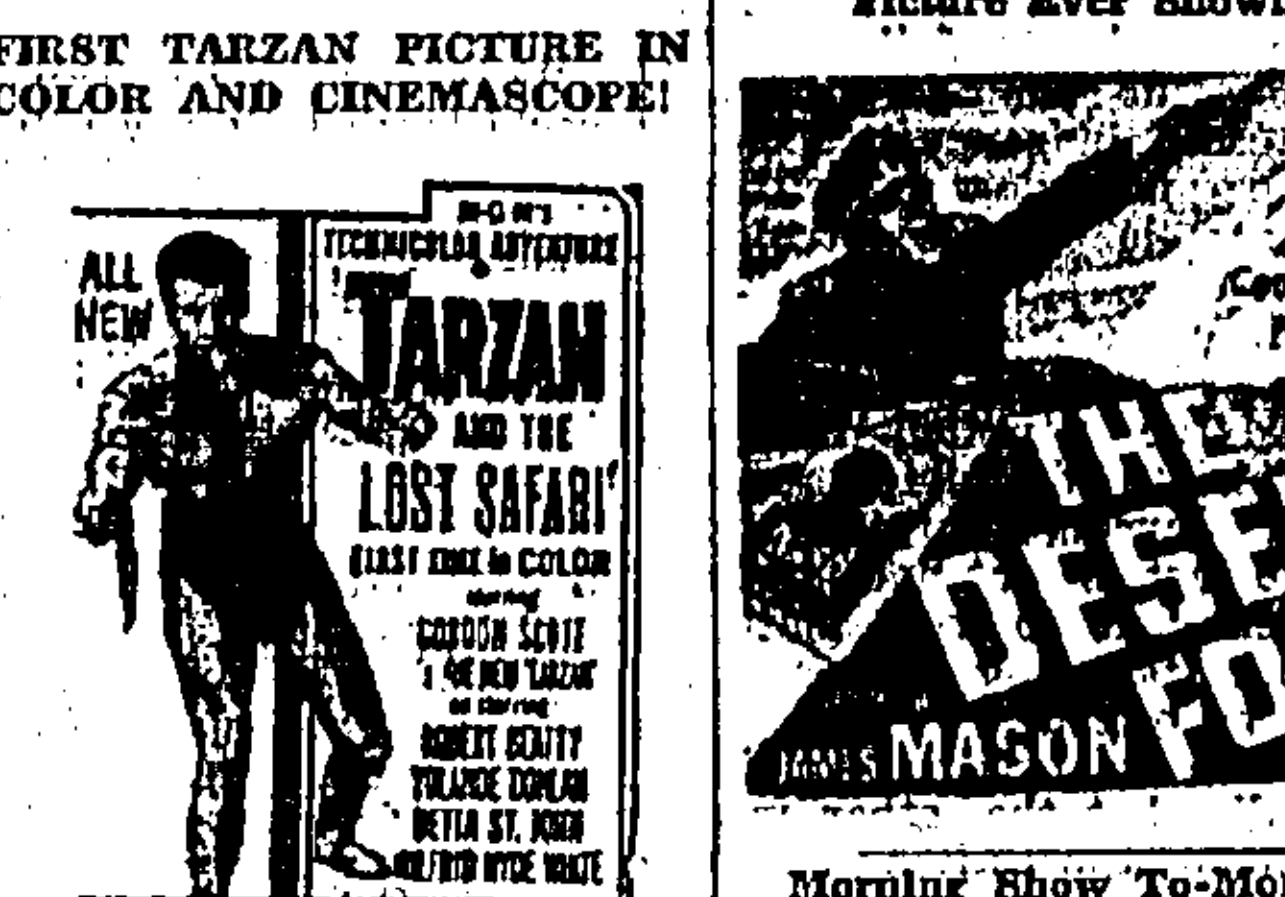
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EGYPTIAN ASSETS UNFROZEN BY THE US

Calvo, Nov. 21. An Egyptian spokesman announced tonight that the United States Government has unfrozen a further US\$500,000 worth of Egyptian holdings in the United States against goods to the same value imported by Egypt from America, Calvo Radio reported.

Last week, the American government released a first instalment of US\$1,000,000 worth of Egyptian holdings frozen in the United States, the spokesman added.

Meanwhile, in Rome, Egyptian delegation leader Hassan Zaki said tonight he was waiting "for decisive instructions" from Cairo concerning the current Anglo-Egyptian financial talks aimed at re-establishing Suez-wrecked relations between the two countries.

DECISIVE

"I am waiting for a decisive reply from Cairo," Zaki told reporters. "I have asked for instructions on a specific main point. The conversations have entered their decisive stage and the answer I get from Cairo should determine their conclusion."

Asked if such a conclusion could be very rapid Zaki said: "I guess so."

Zaki indicated the main point touched upon the amount of Egyptian Sterling Great Britain will release and how soon.

Egyptian press reports recently said the British had agreed to release immediately £27,000,000 of the amount frozen in London after the Suez crisis.

Zaki said he would meet with his British counterpart Sir Denis Hickett, no soon as he received a reply from Cairo which could be expected tomorrow.

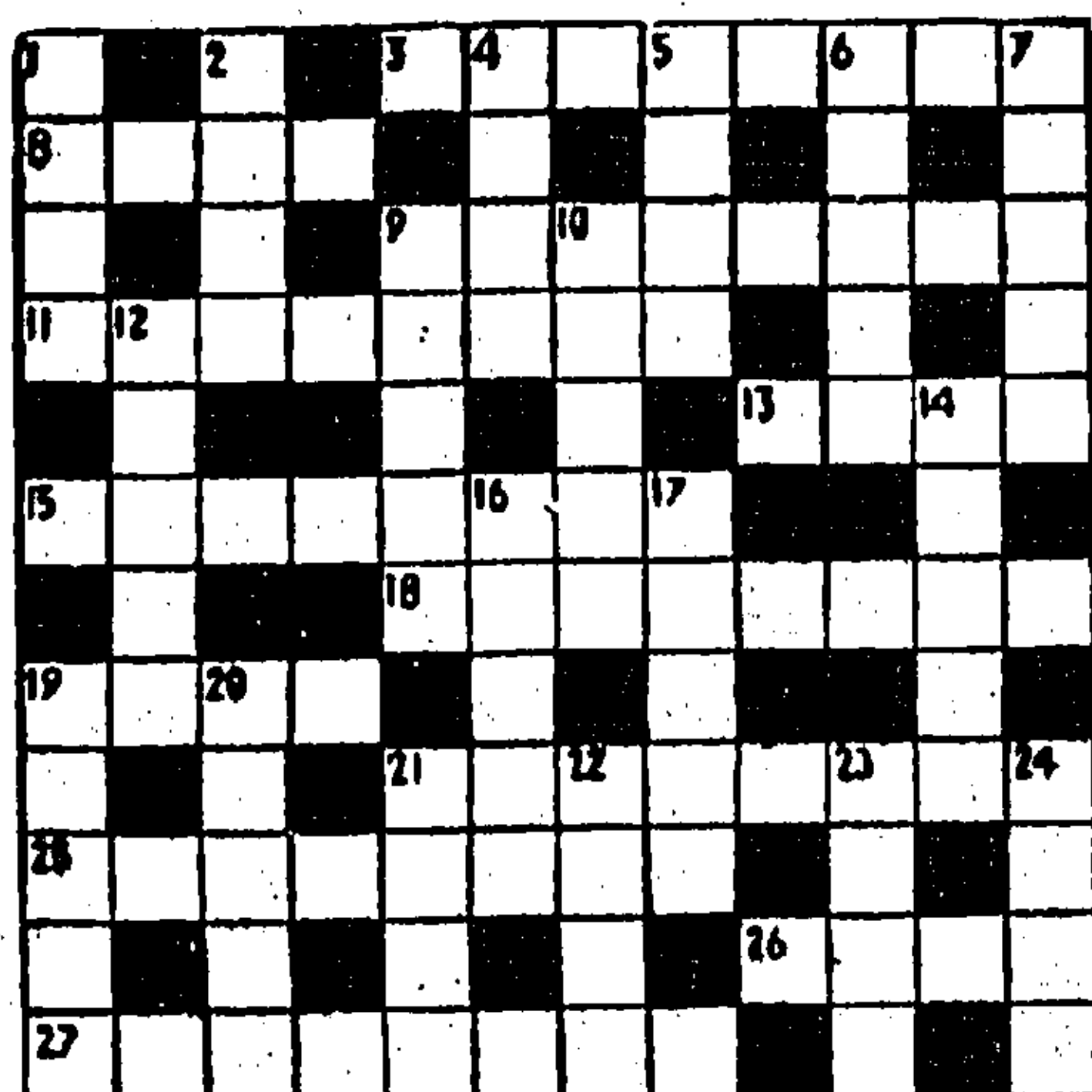
The Battle Goes On

Washington, Nov. 21. A former Hungarian "Freedom Fighter" Gaber Babler, 24, was fined US\$100 here for carrying a "Molotov Cocktail" near the Soviet Embassy.

Babler was arrested last month on the anniversary of the starting of the Hungarian revolt with a gasoline filled bottle containing a wick.

He told police that he intended only to clean a spot on his trousers.—France-Press.

A British Crossword Puzzle



- ACROSS**
- 1 Sporting sphere (8).
 - 2 Ship wreck (4).
 - 3 Colouring for graves? (6).
 - 4 Makes up (8).
 - 5 Grant (4).
 - 6 Inclined to break one commandment, and (6).
 - 7 Actually breaking another (6).
 - 8 Crooked inclination (4).
 - 9 Ready report (8).
 - 10 Brought back to normal (6).
 - 11 Set of clubs maybe (4).
 - 12 Not not agree (6).
- DOWN**
- 1 Smart in a French way (4).
 - 2 Prize fault? (4).
 - 3 A kind of examination (4).
 - 4 To waiters they may well be the tops (4).
 - 5 Well alight (6).
 - 6 Rather less than two pints (6).
 - 7 The county that loses freshness (6).
 - 8 Stage show (6).
 - 9 Something in the seaside air (6).
 - 10 Fluffy (6).
 - 11 Fluffy amphibian (6).
 - 12 Probably includes lettuce (6).
 - 13 Couldn't care less! (6).
 - 14 Feathered houses (6).
 - 15 Flower colour (4).
 - 16 Wet one to the skin? (4).
 - 17 Facing hanger-on (4).
 - 18 Tucks in (4).

THURSDAY'S CROSSWORD ANSWERS: Across: 1. Atrial, 4. Mimic, 7. Bow Lamp, 8. Buses, 9. Traps, 10. Humble, 11. Vain, 12. Absurd, 13. Sled, 14. Rivered, Down: 1. Alert, 2. Oiled, 3. Damocles, 4. Meters, 5. Marshland, 6. Circus, 7. Stabbing, 8. Ash tree, 9. Diving, 10. Intest, 11. Alder, 12. Rude.

US HAS HOPES FOR EGYPT

Trickle Of Aid Maintained Despite Suez

Washington, Nov. 21. The United States is maintaining a trickle of economic aid to Egypt in the hope that one day the Egyptians may turn away from economic dependence on Russia.

Qualified sources today expressed their views on the announcement that the United States has paid US\$600,000 into an old Aid Fund in Egypt rather than let the programme lapse. But with Egypt continuing to attack Jordan and the United States in its broadcasts, and with Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin "announcing" new economic aid to Egypt, this is no time to consider resuming U.S. aid to Cairo on a large scale, these sources added.

H-BOMB'S ENERGY FOR PEACE

Houston, Texas, Nov. 21. The use of energy from the hydrogen bomb for practical and peaceful purposes is not far away, a noted British nuclear scientist said yesterday.

Dr. D. H. Wilkinson, one of Britain's foremost nuclear scientists, was one of several men of science from all over the world gathered in Houston for a history-making conference on chemical research.

"We're on the verge of demonstrating the feasibility of thermonuclear energy, the energy of the hydrogen bomb, for practical, peaceful uses," Dr. Wilkinson said.

The British scientist predicted that in 10 years atomic power will cut the cost of electricity in his country in half.

"By the end of the 1960s," he said, "we should be producing electricity with atomic power at a little more than half the present cost of using coal."—United Press.

Disclosure of the American payments into a special fund for rural improvement in Egypt was made by State Department spokesman Lincoln White.

White said the Fund was agreed upon in 1953 and had never been cancelled despite the Suez crisis and subsequent freezing of Egyptian assets in the United States. The U.S. agreed to contribute US\$10,000,000 in periodic payments by 1960, and the Egyptian quota was set at US\$15,000,000.

Slow Down

Other sources said that as relations with the government of President Gamal Abdel Nasser began to sour, the programme slowed down, and the U.S. contribution never got beyond US\$4,000,000.

Since July, 1956, when Nasser nationalised the Suez Canal, there have been no U.S. payments at all. However, when the Fund was on the point of being exhausted, the U.S. had to decide whether to let it run out, and thus abrogate the agreement, or whether to keep the original commitment fulfilled.

If those the latter course, sources said, and paid in US\$800,000—enough to keep the programme alive.

The Rural Improvement Service is far from new, however, from the US\$40,000,000-a-year aid programme launched by the United States in 1954, when relations between the two countries were friendly and there was talk of the U.S. helping Egypt build a giant dam on the Nile.

A Dream?

The High Aswan Dam remains an Egyptian dream. Russia, though it has offered large quantities of arms for a substantial part of Egypt's cotton harvests, did not offer the kind of aid America was delivering.

There was keen speculation here today as to exactly what Russia was offering Egypt now. Bulganin, at a Moscow reception for Major-General Abdel Hakim Amer, the Egyptian Defence Minister, said Russia was prepared to build up the Egyptian economy.

But he did not spell out his aid offer. American officials said his announcement may mean Egypt is falling still deeper under Soviet economic domination, or it may turn out to be little more than a propaganda play.—United Press.

His Joke Was Expensive

London, Nov. 21. A young British merchant marine officer, Francis Arnold, was fined £1 in Cardiff today for counterfeiting Bank of England £5 notes—in order to light his cigarettes and astonish his friends.

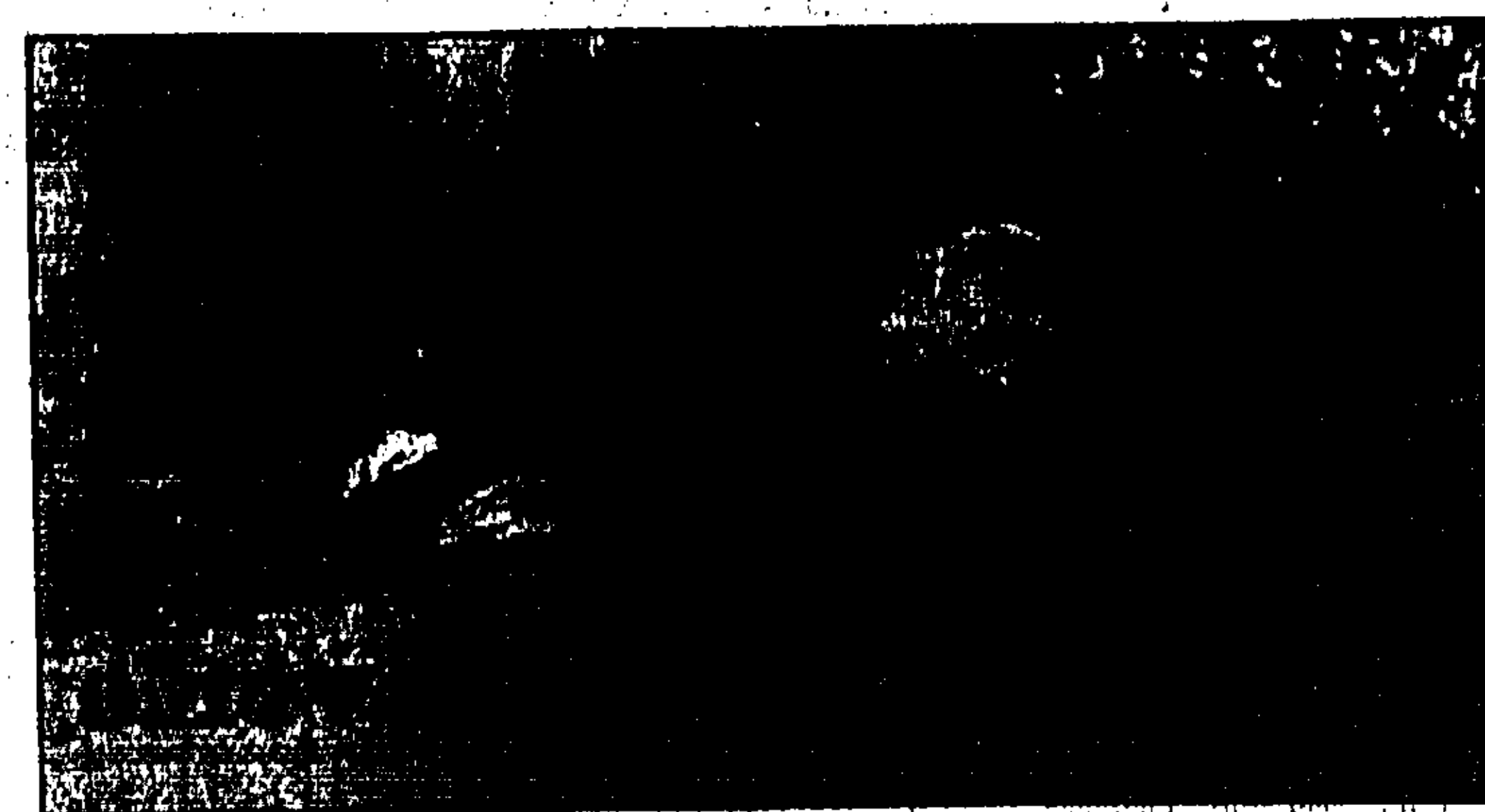
Arnold made three fake £5 notes with some light paper and a fountain pen.

Unfortunately, one of the notes fell into the hands of a crook who tried to pass it—and Arnold was called to court to answer a legal charge.—France-Press.

SWORN IN

Washington, Nov. 21. US Democratic Party leader Mr. Adlai Stevenson has been sworn in as Foreign Policy Advisor to President Dwight Eisenhower, the State Department announced today.—France-Press.

CZECH PRESIDENT



Czechoslovakia's late President Zdenek Fierlinger lies in state at Prague Castle shortly before the funeral procession recently.—Keystone.

Garcia In A Dilemma Over The Vice President

Manila, Nov. 22. President Carlos P. Garcia said today he would confer with leaders of his ruling Nacionalista Party shortly to decide on Vice-President Elpidio Quirón's participation in the Government.

The President admitted earlier Macapagal, a member of the Liberal Party, created a "new situation in a democracy" with his election in the Nov. 12 elections as the first opposition Vice-President in history.

The Nationalists won virtually all other elective positions at stake in the polls.

The chief executive traditionally appoints the Vice-President as foreign secretary but the Nationalists were against Macapagal's appointment to Garcia's Cabinet on the ground that Macapagal belongs to the Opposition party and might "sabotage" the Administration.

Garcia said today he would confer with the commission on elections after the commission results of the elections anytime before December 30.

But the President indicated the conference would not be the final decision on Macapagal.—United Press.

SHOOTING NEAR LIMASSOL

Nicosia, Nov. 21. British troops traded shots with a group of Nationalist near Limassol this evening, and said later they had captured two of the men.

Two others were reported to have escaped.

Earlier police arrested two wanted men identified as Iakovos Christodoulou and Nicos Swinis.—United Press.

Border Firing

Tel Aviv, Nov. 21. Jordanian frontier forces blasted an Israeli patrol with heavy machine-gun fire and rifle across the armistice line near Tulkarm this afternoon, Israeli sources reported.

The Israeli squad returned the fire and the shooting continued for some time. No casualties were reported.—France-Press.

What A Spree!

Kyoto, Nov. 21. Police arrested today a 16-year-old Tokyo youth who traced US\$1,250 from his parents' bank account, took his barmaid girl friend on a hot-aid resort spree, returned to Tokyo, picked up two more 16-year-olds and spent a trip to Kyoto for a party at an expensive geisha house.—Japan Press.

NEW PROPOSALS IN CHINA FOR "WELFARE STATE"

Peking, Nov. 21. New proposals for what amounts to "Welfare State" regulations for many of China's urban workers were published here today.

Draft regulations have been put forward by the State Council (Cabinet) on pension, holidays, wages and apprentices, and will be discussed in factories and organizations throughout China during the coming month.

Among the most important of the new regulations are those governing retirement pensions and annual holidays with pay for workers who are separated from their families.

The regulations apply only to well under 20 per cent of China's population, for, in addition to more than 500 million peasants who do not receive wages as such and are thus excluded, the regulations also do not apply to various groups of workers not on regular wage employment.

WHITE COLLAR

Pensions, which, according to working years, will range from between 50 to 70 per cent of the wage, will be granted to male "white collar" educational, commercial or industrial workers at the age of 60.

Women will get pensions at 50 or 55, while there will be lower retirement ages for those who are in bad health, who have been incapacitated or who do heavy or dangerous work.

Pensions will be paid monthly until death and will be accompanied by free medical care. At death, the beneficiary's family will be paid funeral expenses equal to two or three months' wages and will also receive six to nine months' salary.

The old system of pensions, paid through state labour insurance regulations, had a higher retirement age and was not so wide in application.

Regulations of holidays with pay mean that workers separated from their families will be entitled to two or three weeks' paid holiday yearly. Some will receive also travelling subsidies.—Reuter.

With The Wind

Wapeton, North Dakota, Nov. 21. The Junior Chamber of Commerce has decided how to describe North Dakota's "beautiful" weather.

On nice days, they'll praise it. When a blizzard hits, "We'll shut up until it blows over," an official said.—United Press.

Sight Without Eyes?

SUCCESSFUL TESTS ON ELECTRONIC PROCESS

East Orange, N.J., Nov. 21. An osteopath said today of successful experiments in which a blind woman saw light by electrical means.

He said the electronic process may be developed into a sort of seeing aid, comparable to electronic hearing aid.

Dr. John C. Sutton, Jr., of East Orange, who conceived the experiment, said it was conducted on Betty Corcoran, 35, of Newark, New Jersey, last October in Los Angeles. During the experiment, Dr. Sutton drilled in her skull and steel wires.

Attached to the wires was a photocell which she held in her hand. When the light in the darkened room was turned on Miss Corcoran exclaimed, "I can see the light," Sutton said.

He said she could tell when the light was turned on and from which direction it came. Sutton said the experiment was only a beginning from which he hopes to construct a more fully developed device which will be able to perceive shades of light and patterns.

He said a team of physicians from Rochester State Hospital in Minnesota, also took part in the experiment. The Rochester doctors are mapping the brain of patients which areas are associated with particular senses, such as sight.—United Press.

Farmer's House of Horrors

ADMITS BUTCHERING WOMEN: INDICTED ON MURDER CHARGE

Wautoma, Wisconsin, Nov. 21. Edward Gein, 51-year-old bachelor farmer, who has admitted butchering two women, pleaded insanity when indicted today on a charge of first degree murder.

Conviction on a first degree murder charge carries a mandatory life sentence.

Gein's lawyer, Mr. William Belter, said earlier he would request a psychiatric examination for the release.

He added: "I don't doubt what the results of the examination will be. I don't see how there could be any other conclusion but that the man is insane."

Gein is accused of the premeditated killing of Mrs. Bernice Worden, whose mutilated, headless body was found hanging by the heels from a rafter in his farmhouse last Saturday. He is also charged with robbing her ironmongers store.

BITTER RESIDENTS

Meanwhile, embittered residents of this town today demanded that authorities press their investigation of the killer of two women to determine if he is a mass killer or a grave robber.

Residents feared Wautoma County authorities would haul Gein off to a mental institution and the answer to where he accumulated the other skulls would never be learned.

Gein, who was questioned for more than ten hours yesterday at State Crime Laboratory Headquarters also admitted the slaying of Mary Hogan, 44, a Pine Grove, Wisconsin, tavern operator who vanished about three years ago.

Authorities said Gein broke down last night and confessed when he was confronted with the death mask of Mrs. Hogan, one of several women's death masks found in his "House of Horrors."

Director Charles Wilson of the Crime Lab refused to reveal details of the slayings. However, police records showed both women had been killed while alone in their places of business and apparently hauled to Gein's farm where

they were decapitated and dissected.

Gein's confession to the second slaying raised fears that he may have been the mass murderer of as many as 11 persons. However, Gein claimed he killed only the two women and got the other skulls from robbing fresh graves on moonlit nights.

LIE DETECTOR

Wilson said a lie test cleared Gein of guilt in three other cases of missing persons. Wilson said the tests showed Gein was not involved in the disappearance of a 15-year-old Lacrosse baby-sitter, the abduction of an eight-year-old Fort Atkinson girl or the disappearance of a 12-year-old Travis, 14, of nearby Fredonia, Wisconsin.

Editor Ed Marolla of the Plainfield weekly newspaper said the people want to see that "the matter of the skulls is cleared up." Residents are bitter that Gein might get by with an insanity charge and be free in a couple of years.

Neighbours recalled that Gein had shown them shrunken heads in his junk-littered home, but said they were afraid of a cousin in the Philippines.

Robert Hill, 10, Gein's closest friend, said his parents had the bachelor farmer to supper with them on Saturday only hours after Mrs. Worden was slain and they asked him: "How come every time somebody gets banged on the head and hauled away, you're always around?"

Gein smiled and merely said "That was easy," and continued eating a big meal of pork chops.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Worden was buried yesterday afternoon in a nearby cemetery where Gein said he raided graves. More than 250 persons attended the services.—United Press and Reuter.

Charged With Massacre Of Arabs: Tries Suicide

Jerusalem, Nov. 21. One of 11 Israeli border policemen on trial for the massacre of 43 Israeli Arab civilians last year, tried to commit suicide today, authorities said.

The man, whose name was not given, was said to have grabbed a handful of sleeping tablets while visiting the infirmary and to have swallowed them on the spot.

Doctors saved his life by using a stomach pump, a spokesman said, but he warned that he would try to take his life again.

Meanwhile the trial of the 11 Israeli police continued today despite a peace-making feast between Arabs and Jews in their border village.

The accused were on trial before a military tribunal. Col. E. Collin Gillon was the prosecutor.

The breaking of bread between 400 Israelis and Arabs took place today in Karf Kasim where last October 29 and Israeli border patrol machine-gunned the Arab civilians.—United Press.

Grass Greener?

Seoul, Nov. 21. Police here this week arrested two Customs officials who apparently decided the grass was greener on the other side of the fence.

Both the Sun and Lee Hwa Yook were charged with stealing 480 watches they confiscated from smugglers.—United Press.



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(7 a.m. to 12 noon)

PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY

"Oh! Mr Osborne, how do you do it?"

A FEW months ago, when my wife and I were returning to town after a game of golf in the country, our car was held up by the traffic in Sloane Square. Actually we were anchored just outside the entrance of the small Sloane Square Court Theatre where, more than thirty years ago, a few of us tried to save Shaw's play *Heartbreak House*, which the critics had assailed with such shafts of wit as *Headache House*, and *Jaubreak House* and other variations on the same theme.

Gazing from our car, we saw that the current attraction was the much discussed play *Look Back in Anger* by John Osborne, who had become more or less the recognised leader of the Angry Young Men movement which had swept its way into London's West End. As the traffic in the Square showed no signs of moving, I darted in to the box office and came out with the only two tickets available.

It is hard to say when or how this strange Angry Young Men manifestation of the human spirit took form. We recalled how, after the 1914-1918 war, there emerged the night club and jazz age, with the alternative piquancy and ugliness of the short, skirted, and we thought that perhaps this new cult was a somewhat belated offspring of the Hitler war.

At 7.30 that evening we returned to the Square and found that our seats were in the front row, with the result that when the curtain rose we seemed to be almost part of the sordid and untidy scene which greeted our eyes.

At one side of the stage, a nice looking slut was ironing clothes. On the floor, two young men were lying on their stomachs reading and discussing the London Sunday newspaper. The younger of the two blatted a cornet now and then, but convinced both his companions and the audience that he would never bother to learn how to play it properly. It seems that off stage there was a candy stall which the two men operated, but they could not bother answering the bell when someone entered the shop.

They were reading and mocking the Sunday newspapers, and could not be bothered about such things as candles or peppermints. When would something happen? But soon we realised that this was a different kind of play. Mr John Osborne of the future had written the play to amuse himself, not the audience. I wished that I could say that he succeeded in boring me but that would be a lie. Admittedly the talk of newspapers was music, even if discordant music, to my ears. Nearly all adult life I have lived and worked to the roaring serenade of the printing press. Words, words, words... what fascinating, dangerous things they are! Hitler rose from a doss house in Vienna to the dictatorship of Germany on a roaring cascade of words, but when he put Europe to the sword he was hammered to defeat and death by the words of Winston Churchill.

Where was the anger of this young man? Would he at some stage of the conversation tell me just what he thought of a Tory M. P. like myself? Nothing would have surprised me except what actually did happen. Without ranting or indulging in irony he described Russia as a dull, colourless, lifeless place where the women were as drab as their clothes and the men were not much better. The only exception was his delight at seeing the Crown Jewels of the late Tsars in the Palace at Leningrad.

"The Russians were very nice to me," he said rather apologetically. "They did everything they could to make my visit pleasant but the women, poor things, are so drab and everything so dull."

Then we fell to discussing the forthcoming premiere of his play on Broadway. "It won't go down with the Americans," he said. "It will be an awful flop."

In an attempt to cheer him up I argued that there is

nothing that was giving nightmares to nice old ladies all over Britain.

"Oh, by the way," he said as we opened the garden gate to the street, "my wife, Mary Ure, is going to play the lead in my play on Broadway." It seemed like an aside that had just occurred to him.

The whole incident faded from our minds, but soon we were to be reminded of angry

LONDON LETTER

by Sir Beverley Baxter

Well, what happened in this play *Look Back in Anger*? Nothing... nothing at all. But there was a magnificent moment near the end when the author caused himself to recount how he once got himself engaged to the daughter of a country family. "She asked me to meet her mother and the age of civility was dead."

Reluctantly I surrendered; this was the very essence of the dialogue that thrust itself like a dart into one's brain. No matter how puerile the plot and how decadent the theme, I was delighted. It was destructive with the very irony of uselessness. It was a superb drama without a plot. Somewhere, as with all born dramatists, Osborne had touched the emotions. In the very moment of mocking them, we went home with a feeling akin to ecstasy because of the sheer bravado of the author's genius.

Actually John Osborne had just returned from a visit to Russia, so, next day I sent him a telegram asking him to lunch at my house. There was no reply, which was not wholly unexpected, but at one o'clock he turned up and we drank a glass of sherry in the garden.

He seemed taller and leaner than on the stage and his manner was gentle and respectful. Heaven alone knows what thoughts were going on inside his head but he could not have been more modest or unassuming.

"Will you tell me about Russia?" I asked, "or are you tired of talking about it?" "Oh, no," he answered. "I want to talk about it. I'd never been there before. In fact I've never been anywhere very much."

Where was the anger of this young man? Would he at some stage of the conversation tell me just what he thought of a Tory M. P. like myself? Nothing would have surprised me except what actually did happen. Without ranting or indulging in irony he described Russia as a dull, colourless, lifeless place where the women were as drab as their clothes and the men were not much better. The only exception was his delight at seeing the Crown Jewels of the late Tsars in the Palace at Leningrad.

young men by the vicious and caustic outburst of Lord Altrincham and his pip-squeak imitator, the Marquis of Londonderry. This was too much for John Osborne's modesty itself, but as the uncrowned king of angry youth, he obviously felt that his followers would expect some utterance on the subject. So, selecting a magazine called *Encounter*, Osborne decided to air his views on Royalty.

"Nobody can seriously pretend that the Royal round of gracious boredom, the protocol of ancient futility, is politically useful or mildly stimulating," he wrote. "My objection to the royal symbol

is that it is dead. It is a gold filling in a mouth full of decay." Thus did he out-rip the peers who had started the game. But there was a man who decided to play Banquo to Osborne's Macbeth. The man in question was no less than the headmaster of the public school where Osborne went as a boarder, the name of the school being Belmont College.

Therefore the headmaster took to his pen, when he read his ex-pupils' tirade and announced publicly that Osborne, when one of his pupils, got three young boys under his influence and started a reign of terror throughout the school. When Osborne was between 14 and 15 years old, he was found with a bottle of elder and refused to give it up. The headmaster struggled with him, but was unsuccessful. Next day the headmaster spoke to Osborne in front of the whole school and Osborne gave him an insolent reply. The headmaster thereupon slapped Osborne's face, and in return Osborne did the same to the headmaster. The future playwright was immediately expelled, which may have been the beginning of his ultimate anger.

It must be put on record that when the story was published following his attack on the Monarchy, he admitted the incident, but not all the details. There is no moral to my tale unless it be that genius, like the

mule, has no pride of ancestry or hope of progeny. Obviously John Osborne has never known real poverty, nor have the gates of opportunity been barred to him. His pen has not been directed against those who have succeeded in life, but rather to explain and dramatise the ineffectual. He does not ask us to give them sympathy nor does he see any special virtue in the fact that the young man in his play cannot get more than one or two notes from his cornet.

Yet, such is Osborne's genius that he can make us feel a touch of pathos and dusky beauty in the very fact that the young man does blow into the instrument and produces sound of a kind.

Somehow, perhaps reluctantly, the emotions though we do not know why. In short, he has genius although he does his damndest to conceal the fact. No wonder the New York critics acclaimed him. No wonder he can fill a London theatre at his choosing. The confounded fellow can write and even his discordance creates a harsh beauty. At any rate I thought you might like to know about the angry young man who came to my garden in St John's Wood, and was as mild and gentle as a milk fed lion.

I wish that I could look back in anger at him, but it is just not possible.

It's a 7-day-a-week job few women would like

WOULD YOU MARRY A PARSON?

by the Rev. ROBERT COLEMAN
Vicar of St. John's, Ealing

3. THE HOME LOVER.

A COMPETITION to find the prettiest clergy wife in Britain would discover not only beauty, but also character and courage. For who would marry a parson?

Consider the job. Your husband is at home in the morning when you would rather be were out; he is out in the evening when you wouldn't mind having him at home. He eats a hearty meal (provided by you) at lunch time and, when supper comes, is keen for more. And you've never a week-end free.

The clergyman's wife who is childless may find herself house-keeping in a 20-room rectory, while the mother of four may have to rent a flat until the new vicarage can be built. And have you ever tried washing a surplice?

The parson's wife is open to criticism from the congregation. If she dresses plainly, it is a pity she is not a better advertisement for the church. A smart outfit, a touch of paint, high heels, can bring raised eyebrows and back of the hand whispers: "So worldly."

Parson's wife (she used to be known as "the priest's woman") must be careful with her tongue too. Her own opinion is often construed as "really the vicar's words."

At the same time, when approached on all manner of subjects—strong feelings about the outing, unknown hymns, draughtily aises, behaviour of the curate, rift in the Mother's Union—there is always the delayed reaction: "Was I meant to mention that to my husband?" Clergy wives fall into three recognisable types:—

1. THE SHOCKER.

There is so much hypocrisy and narrow-mindedness even among church-goers that this type reacts by trying to shock people out of their smugness. Let them know, she says to herself, "that life is real, life is earnest and the grave is not its goal."

Accordingly she answers the vicarage door cheerfully in light-fitting slacks, playful earrings, drooping cigarette. She lards her conversation with as-

lanning words: cycles to tennis as her husband walks to worship. Fortunately she is rare.

2. THE DO-GOODER.

Seventy-five per cent of vicarage wives fall into this category. She dare not let her husband do his job by himself; she must help him. She ferrets out little pieces of news, learns of forthcoming births, and inquires kindly of wives she meets in the street as to whether their husbands have been a little more kind to them of late.

Never absent from church, she sits in a special pew marked "Vicars", carefully but unobtrusively noticing who is present or absent. She gives her report to her husband at lunch, offering to call later and discover if there has been sickness in the family.

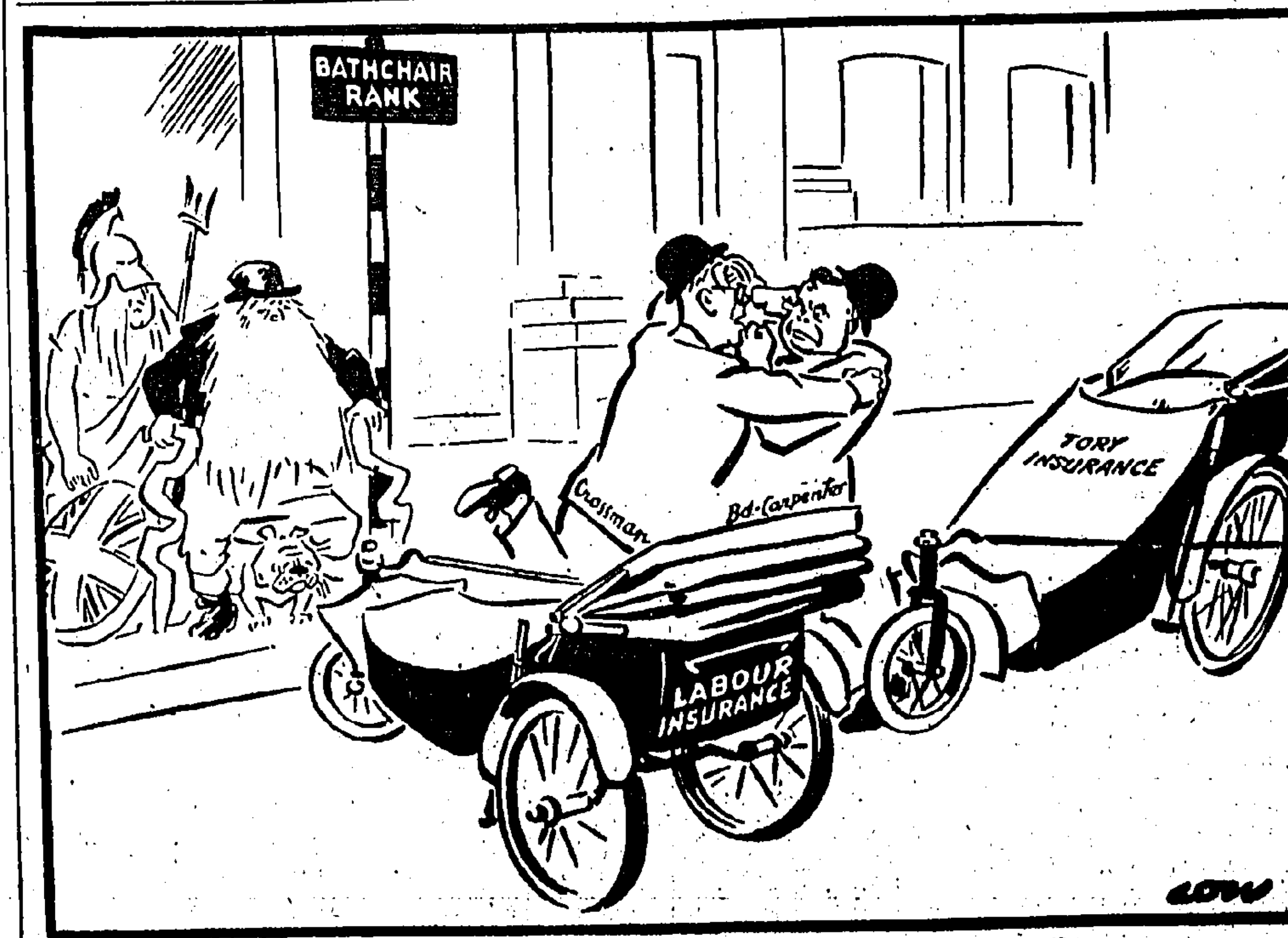
Mrs Do-Gooder is a great speaker and constantly in demand. But, as she modestly insists, she is so nervous she can scarcely stand up when the time comes. In some cases Mrs D-G. is known as Mrs Vicar.

A real gem, and a bargain at any price. Many clergy wives seem to think there is something—Christian in caring for the home, husband, and children, while ignoring pleas to run organisations, take meetings, conduct working parties, and attend to what drives. There are more recruits to the ranks of the Home Lovers.

What if the vicar's wife does do nothing in the parish? It gives someone else an opportunity to help. And too many vicarage children (not to mention vicars) have that lost and uncareful look because when they return home from school, "Mummy" is out running her meeting.

I say a vicar's wife should refuse to be turned into an unpaid curate.

If we are to continue the long and illustrious line of famous sons and daughters of the vicarage, rectory, and manse, names that have justly made Britain famous, we cannot get along without the parson's wife. But would you marry a parson?



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TOMORROW'S CHANCES AT THE VALLEY

All Is Well With Philippines Davis Cup Team

Adelaide, Nov. 21. Felicissimo Ampon, captain of the Philippines Davis Cup team, reported tonight that he is "very happy about the way the boys played" during the first round of the South Australian Tennis Championships today.

Ampon said, "Although Eddie Dingo lost, he fought well for five sets and showed that he is learning plenty about grass courts. The rest of us all went well. We have accustomed ourselves to Australian conditions now and are settling down."

"Things are much easier all around. We're not doing any extra practice, other than for the play. We feel it unwise to overdo things at this stage. Don't forget our big series against the United States for the right to meet Belgium in the inter-zone final is only about two weeks away."

Ampon said another thing making the Philippines happy in the weather, which now is "quite hot"—United Press.

Commonwealth Winter Games

St. Moritz, Nov. 21. Commonwealth Winter Games will be held here from January 9 to 20, it was announced today.

The Games will consist of skiing (downhill and slalom races), tobogganing (skeleton races on the Cresta Run), bobsleigh races for pairs and crews for four, figure skating (ladies', men's and pairs, and ice dancing) and curling.

The organising committee have decided that all entries shall be individual, as the Games are a new venture, — China Mail Special.

£2,000 A MATCH

Roy Pritchard, the full back last transferred to North County by Aston Villa, cost the Birmingham club £2,000 per league match. They paid £6,000 to Wolves for him but after he left Molineux with 300 league games and a Cup winner's medal to his credit he played only three first team matches for Villa in two and a half years.

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Cut this out and take it to the races tomorrow for your guidance

Probable Starters, Weights & Riders

Probable starters, weights and riders for tomorrow's Happy Valley race meeting are given below. This list is based on the most up-to-date information available. As an additional guide to form, the placings of the ponies in their last three starts will be found on the left hand side of their names.

2:30 p.m. Race 1 LEOPARDSTOWN HANDICAP, 1 Mile 170 Yards, Class 5.
430 Marine Charger (Lum) 150 lbs. Horace Chan.
000 Snowy (Noodt) 150 lbs. S. M. Wan.
402 Applause (Kramoperoff) 157 lbs. Horace Chan.
001 Armanant (Shui) 150 lbs. Joseph Lam.
200 Valbridge (Rodney) 155 lbs. Enfield.
024 Quizzle (Metrevel) 152 lbs. W. M. Chan.
300 Matador (Sotroff) 145 lbs. Edna Niek.
013 Caraville (Sotroff) 142 lbs. Alex Lam.
400 My Pal (S. H. Wong) 140 lbs. H. H. Chan.
000 Nabrina (Tokmoperoff) 139 lbs. 2 Kiam Lam.
000 Man On (Sotroff) 135 lbs. Robert Luk.

Possible Acceptors: Jubilation.
* 5 lbs. allowance for Maiden Novices.
2:30 p.m. Race 2 PROUDSTOWN PLATE, 1 Mile, Class C.
000 Blue Train (Lum) 147 lbs. Ostroumoff.
000 Gay Minister (Kramoperoff) 147 lbs. K. W. Wong.
000 Mademoiselle (Noodt) 147 lbs. K. W. Wong.
000 Million Bonus (Lum) 147 lbs. Plumby.
-0 Pretender (A. S. Wong) 147 lbs. Hung.
000 Sunrise (Tokmoperoff) 147 lbs. Gregory.
000 Supermaster (Shui) 147 lbs. Wei.

Possible Acceptors: Queerza, Singapore, Tiger Shark.
3:00 p.m. Race 3 BRIGHTON HANDICAP, 1/2 Mile 170 Yards, Class 4.
400 Amusement (Sotroff) 155 lbs. C. Y. Wong.
232 How Do I Run (Noodt) 155 lbs. Samarc.
400 King A (Lum) 155 lbs. Pih.
232 Peach Blossom (Laskoff) 152 lbs. Chan Kit.
004 Beautiful Lie (Sotroff) 151 lbs. Pih.
-0 Mayfair (A. S. Wong) 149 lbs. Alex Lam.
214 Fleetfoot (Sotroff) 147 lbs. Hung.
030 Full Ahead (Tokmoperoff) 146 lbs. K. W. Wong.
021 Lynx (Kramoperoff) 145 lbs. Plumby.
020 Mascot (Laskoff) 144 lbs. Albert Lam.
100 Vendetta (Tokmoperoff) 143 lbs. Plumby.
000 Caesar (Tokmoperoff) 143 lbs. Wei.

3:30 p.m. Race 4 POWERSTOWN PLATE, 1 Mile, Class B.
-01 Iron Wind (Chew) 150 lbs. Bolech.
020 Ciro Kid (S. H. Wong) 148 lbs. Chan Kit.
000 Courier (Belokopoff) 148 lbs. Plumby.
330 Fumaron (S. H. Wong) 148 lbs. Hung.
-42 Angel's Pearl (Lum) 145 lbs. S. M. Wan.
200 At You Like It (Lum) 145 lbs. S. M. Wan.
-20 Eureka (Metrevel) 145 lbs. Wei.
000 Happy Birthday (Noodt) 145 lbs. Hung.
421 Ding Dong (Sotroff) 142 lbs. Hung.

Possible Acceptors: Winalst Streak, Angela, Opportunity.
4:00 p.m. Race 5 LAYTOWN HANDICAP (1st Section), 1 Mile, Class 6.
221 Dutch Rocket (Chew) 150 lbs. Chuang.

4:30 p.m. Race 6 LAYTOWN HANDICAP (2nd Section), 1 Mile 170 Yards, Class 6.
014 Citrus (Lum) 157 lbs. Plumby.
232 Reyz (Sotroff) 155 lbs. Plumby.
244 Another Victory (S. H. Wong) 154 lbs. Hung.
000 Fieldmaster (Shui) 154 lbs. Wei.
122 Jerebel (A. S. Wong) 154 lbs. Chuang.
002 Herbine (Sotroff) 150 lbs. Alex Lam.
040 Jerebel (Metrevel) 148 lbs. Alex Lam.
010 Highnoon (Lum) 147 lbs. U. Kiam Lam.
300 Squadron Leader (Laskoff) 146 lbs. S. M. Wan.
200 Sunstreak (Chew) 146 lbs. Lam King Tak.
000 Free Success (Chew) 144 lbs. Hung.
000 Amethyst (Kramoperoff) 136 lbs. Allan Chan.

Possible Acceptors: Splendid Violet, Roy, Gallant Knight, Cavalry, Poi Chai.
5:30 p.m. Race 7 FOLKESTONE HANDICAP (2nd Section), 1 Mile 170 Yards, Class 6.
404 Can Do (Chew) 150 lbs. Lam King Tak.
322 Outsider (Lum) 150 lbs. Ostroumoff.
000 Santa Maria (Metrevel) 150 lbs. H. Chan.
020 Fighting Spirit (Lum) 154 lbs. Alex Lam.
300 American Carrot (Noodt) 152 lbs. Plumby.
100 Hamilton (Rodney) 150 lbs. Plumby.
020 Kentary (Chew) 148 lbs. Suih.
100 Rose (Noodt) 148 lbs. Suih.
001 Temptation (S. H. Wong) 145 lbs. Hung.
340 Manxman (Pereloff) 142 lbs. Wei.
010 Winning Touch (S. H. Wong) 142 lbs. Hung.

Possible Acceptors: Scarlet, Benual, Lancer, Oscar Pize.
* Jockey Allowance to be claimed.
5:00 p.m. Race 8 LAYTOWN HANDICAP (1st Section), 1 Mile, Class 6.
221 Dutch Rocket (Chew) 150 lbs. Chuang.

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Folkestone Handicap The Main Attraction

By "RAPIER"

The Hongkong Jockey Club's Fourth Race Meeting of the 1957/58 season will be held over two consecutive Saturday afternoons, the first tomorrow and the second on November 30. Each day's programme will consist of eight events. The first saddling bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and the first race will be at 2 p.m.

The main attraction tomorrow will be the Folkestone Handicap for Class 4 ponies over the 2-Mile Post, to be run in two sections, while on Saturday, November 30, the St. Andrew's Stakes for Class 5 ponies from the 1/2-Mile Post (1 M. 3 F. 65 Yds.) is the principal event.

Here are my estimates of the chances:

FIRST RACE

Leopardsdown Handicap: From 2 Mile.

Here are my estimates of the chances: Jockeys will be on view in this opening event and they will be called upon to handle Class 9 ponies.

Armanant (Joseph Lam), by virtue of its win in the Broadwood Handicap over the mile at the 2nd Race Meeting with Peter Y. T. Wei up, will no doubt be in big demand and I believe its prospects of scoring another win here are rather bright.

Applause (Ringo Lei) is well suited to this distance and I think it will give Armanant a good race.

Caraville (Lai Chun-lai) is a fast improving pony and should be worth a bet each way.

Marine Charger (Horace Chan) and Quizzle (M. W. Chan) are also good enough to be likely place-winners.

SECOND RACE

Proudstown Plate: One Mile.

This race is confined to Class C 1957 Ponies. Weight 147 lbs. Blue Train (A. Ostroumoff) is certainly the pony to watch in this event, especially if you remember how the combination came fourth over six furlongs in the Middle Spur Plate at the last meeting.

Supermaster (Peter Y. T. Wei), if it doesn't lag behind at the start, should be well in at the finish.

Other notable contenders for honours here are Million Bonus (P. Plumby), Gay Minister (K. Kwok), Pretender (H. K. Hung) and Mademoiselle (C. L. Liu).

THIRD RACE

Brighton Handicap: From 1 1/2-Mile Post.

In this sprint race for Class 4 ponies, I think Mayfair (Alex Lam) should have a good chance of winning if it succeeds in getting off quickly on the start of the barrier.

Otherwise I look to Princess Ellen (H. K. Chuang) as the likely winner.

Fleetfoot (H. K. Hung), Peach Blossom (Chun Kit) and Masoot (Albert Lam) are also good over this distance and can be depended upon to give Mayfair and Princess Ellen a good fight.

FOURTH RACE

Powerstown Plate: One Mile.

This race will be contested by Class B 1957 ponies. In spite of its promotion from Class C after winning the Middle Spur Plate over six furlongs at the last meeting, I still fancy the chances of Iron Wing (H. K. Cheng) to win again.

Courier (P. Plumby) will carry 148 lbs., 2 lbs. more than at its last outing. In view of the opposition it may have a say here tomorrow afternoon.

Ding Dong (H. K. Hung) looks dangerous and Happy Birthday (H. K. Chuang) may yet spring a surprise as it is undoubtedly good.

FIFTH RACE

Laytown Handicap (First Section): One Mile.

The first section of Class 6 ponies will battle out the finish in this race and, judging from its second placing in the West Bay Handicap (Second Section) over the two-mile post at the last meeting with H. K.

Chuang up, Dutch Rocket, which will be taken out by the same jockey tomorrow, should command strong support in the betting. Good as this pony is, however, I don't think it will win over this distance.

Forward View although it was unplaced at the last meeting with H. M. Botelho up, is my choice as it will be ridden by P. Plumby, who knows the capabilities of this pony.

Kentucky Lad (C. F. Ng) has been showing good form lately in morning training and over this distance should not be disregarded.

The distance also favours Thousand Miles (M. Samarc), but I doubt if it can do better than place.

As an outsider I recommend Winnie (Alex Lam).

SIXTH RACE

Folkestone Handicap (First Section): From 2-Mile Post.

The first section of Class 4 ponies will contest this event. Cover Girl (H. K. Hung) and Gigha (K. Kwok) look the best bets here.

Improving rapidly also is Sea Raider (C. W. Wong) and for a long shot this pony is worth following.

SEVENTH RACE

Laytown Handicap (Second Section): One Mile.

I think Jerebel (H. K. Chuang) is due for a belated win in this section.

Citrus (P. Plumby) was prominent on rounding the village bend in his last race and has a sporting chance tomorrow.

Another Victory (C. E. Hulse) and Free Success (H. H. Chan) are also good enough to be depended upon to make a race of it.

As an outsider bear Reyz (H. M. Botelho) in mind.

EIGHTH RACE

Folkestone Handicap (Second Section): From 2-Mile Post.

This is the final event of the day and is confined to Class 4 ponies. Having placed second in the Hutton Handicap (First Section) over the mile at the 2nd Race Meeting, Fighting Spirit (Peter Y. T. Wei) should attract the most interest among punters and should win.

However, Huntington (P. Plumby) should not be treated lightly as it is capable of giving a good account of itself.

Rose (H. K. Chuang), Temptation (M. Samarc) and Can Do (Lam King-tak) are good as outsiders only.

Colony Chess Championship

E. L. Krouk beat K. Weiss in the third round of the Colony Chess Championship at the Peninsula Hotel last night. In another third round game, To Yu-lau beat C. Tan.

Eugene Taus has withdrawn from the tournament and his place has been taken by R.N. Martin.

Standings now are:

K. Weiss 3 2 0 1 2
E. L. Krouk 3 1 2 0 3
To Yu-lau 3 1 0 1 1 1/2
A. Britukoff 2 1 0 1 1
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2nd Division (Away) v Police on Sunday, 11.30 a.m. at H.K.C. N.B.M. Willet, H. Thompson, C. E. Broadbridge, A. G. Bailey, J. A. C. Tharbell, M. D. Sargent, T. V. C. Reynolds, E. J. Chin, S. C. Pascoe. Score: 5.5. Cunningham.

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Week-End Cricket Teams

The following players have been selected to represent their respective clubs in their Cricket League games over the week-end:

1st Division (Home) v "Optimists": J. T. Baugh, F. D. Bottomley, P. V. Dodge, J. Howarth, P. Shute, D. W. Lash, H. Owen-Hughes, T. A. Pearce, C. Ship, L. L. Stanton, L. White.

1st Division (Away) v "Optimists": J. T. Baugh, F. D. Bottomley, P. V. Dodge

TEST MATCH WICKETS SHOULD BE CONTROLLED

...But An "Edict" From Lord's Is Not Enough

Says DENNIS HART

London.

They are known as the Board of Control for Test Matches. Their function? You might believe that it is to control the conduct of Test matches. You would be wrong. One of the most important things in a Test or any cricket match is the state of the wicket. It often determines whether a match is won or lost or ends in a tedious draw. That being so, a body that is deemed to control a Test match should control the state of the wicket. But it doesn't.

England's Board of Control met the other week at Lord's. Sure enough, from the headquarters of cricket came news that an "edict" will be issued to ground authorities where a Test is to be played, demanding a fast, true pitch. And if the edict is not observed? The Board of Control may give vent to a mild "ut-tut." But they do not intend anything more drastic.

Perhaps they think that an edict from Lord's could not be ignored. Well, they have been asking for fast, true pitches for some years now. To gauge the response I would ask them to consult the West Indies on the pitch they met at the Oval in August and the Australians on those they encountered last year at Leeds and Old Trafford. In those matches, 90 wickets fell, 13 to pace, 77 to spin. And this when speed men of the Lindwall-Miller-Trueman calibre were performing.

A Nasty Taste

The controversies over these matches were long and bitter. In these, such phrases as "unfair practices" and "cheating" were bandied about. The whole affair left a nasty taste. In each case I think that the criticism was overdone. True the wickets gave the bowlers a bit of help, but not nearly as much as the batsmen made it seem. And before the war bowlers had to toil match in, match out, year in, year out, on wickets that were tailor-made for batsmen. And barely a word was raised in protest.

That period is often referred to as "the golden days of batsmanship." No wonder! A batsman while a pitch is not necessarily a good thing, we must not go too far the other way. And a Test wicket that cracks up on the first day is going too far.

This is where the Board of Control must step in. And they do not have personally to superintend the preparation of each pitch, as has been suggested. Indeed, I shudder to think what would happen if a Board of Control member tried to teach a groundsmen his job.

What the Board could do is to hold an enquiry into the reasons for any particular wicket playing tricks.

This may seem a negative function. But I am sure it would be enough. At least, it would be a fact-finding mission. The Board perform now in this respect—apart from sending out edicts.

For, compared with the number of Tests that are played, the number of grounds are few. So a couple of redressed complaints would go a long way.

To drag or not to drag? That is the question, that has been bothering the MCC for a couple of years. It concerns fast bowlers who drag their back foot over the crease before delivering the ball. And there is hardly a fast bowler who doesn't.

Against The Law

This is strictly against the law. But the MCC admit that the law is impossible to admin-

ister because the umpire cannot observe the bowler's hand and foot at the same time. The Australians, recognizing this, take the view that as long as a bowler puts his back foot behind the back line the ball is allowable. This, in effect, legalizes the drag.

The trouble is that if the drag is made legal bowlers will naturally exploit it to the full. Nevertheless, it does seem to be the only workable solution. The MCC are not giving up, however. They will continue to experiment indoors this winter in the hope of finding the perfect answer to put before the next meeting in March.

The ultimate ruling will not be in time to operate next year. So the cricket world will see the effect of the Australian rule when England's speed squad are in action out there at the end of next year. The Australians themselves may well get a victim's eye view.

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HOME SOCCER FIXTURES

Following are the Home soccer fixtures for tomorrow:

First Division
Birmingham v Blackpool
Burnley v Leeds
Cardiff v Leicester
Charlton v Manchester C
Grimsey v Aston Villa
Huddersfield v Everton
Leyton v Bolton
Liverpool v Arsenal
Middlesbrough v Luton
Norwich v Sunderland
Preston v West Ham

Second Division
Bristol C v West Ham
Cardiff v Brentford
Charlton v Lincoln
Doncaster v Bristol R
Grimsey v Fulham
Huddersfield v Swindon
Leyton v Notts C
Liverpool v Blackburn
Middlesbrough v Ipswich
Norwich v Derby
Preston v Barnsley

Third Division (South)
Bournemouth v Aldershot
Brentford v Newport
Cardiff v Port Vale
Charlton v Millwall
Doncaster v Brighton
Grimsey v Queen's P.R.
Huddersfield v Plymouth
Leyton v Exeter
Liverpool v Gillingham
Middlesbrough v Southampton
Norwich v Swindon
Preston v Watford

Third Division (North)
Accrington v Gateshead
Barnsley v Wrexham
Bradford v Stockport
Bury v Darlington
Carlisle v Halifax
Chester v Mansfield
Chesterfield v Workington
Hull v Grimsby
Huddersfield v South Shields
Luton v Bradford C
Preston v Crewe

Scottish League 'A'
Aberdeen v Kilmarnock
Clyde v Hearts
East Fife v Third Lanark
Falkirk v Rangers
Hibernian v Celtic
Motherwell v Queen of So.
Partick v Airdrie
Queen's Park v Bath
St Mirren v Dundee

Scottish League 'B'
Aberdeen v Dunfermline
Airdrie v Stranraer
Arbroath v Morton
Barnsley v Stirling Albion
Berwick v St Johnstone
Brechin v East Stirling
Cowdenbeath v Hamilton
Dumfries v Forfar
Dundee U. v Stirling

IN MANILA

Basketball Takes A Back Seat As Circus Arrives

Manila, Nov. 22. The Philippines' Number One sport, basketball, takes a back seat starting today as Jackie Kramer and his professional tennis troupe start off their three-day exhibition series at Rizal Coliseum.

Kramer and company flew in from Hongkong last night in the course of their Far East exhibition tour.

With the American promoter-players were Australia's "Terrible Twins", Lew Hoad and Ken Rosewall, and Ecuador's Pancho Segura.

In a singles match tonight Hoad meets Kramer, Rosewall tackles Segura and in the doubles the combinations will be Hoad-Kramer and Rosewall-Segura.—France-Press.

Sven Davidson Placed First In Annual Tennis Rankings Is Europe's Outstanding Player

Paris, Nov. 21. Sweden's Sven Davidson was ranked first today in the annual European tennis rankings of the French sports daily, "L'Equipe".

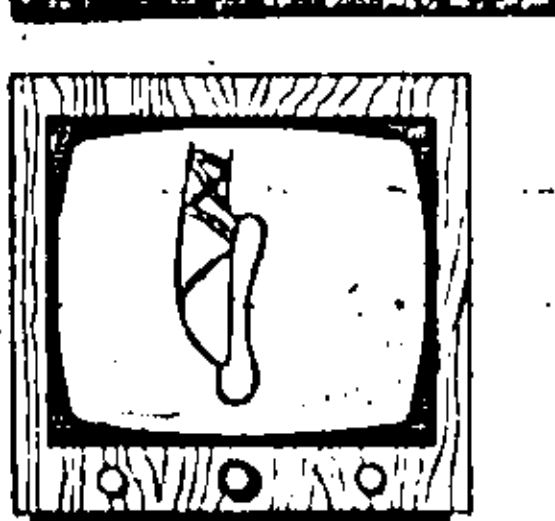
Davidson was given top place for winning the French, Egyptian and Pacific coast titles and reaching the semi-finals at Wimbledon.

PLAYING ACCIDENT

The lanky Swede who was sidelined with a knee injury in a playing accident at Helsinki, Finland, earlier this week, is not only Europe's outstanding player but ranks second only to Australia's Ashley Cooper in the world, "L'Equipe" said.

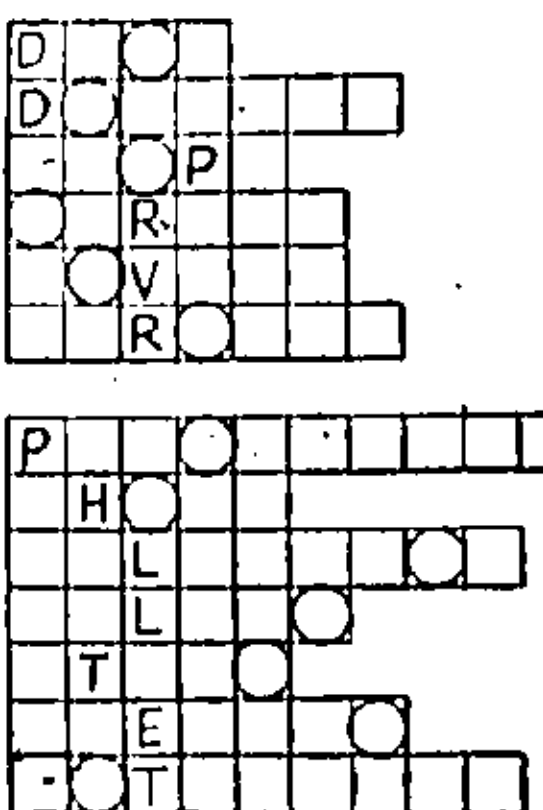
"L'Equipe's" respected tennis experts ranked Belgian Davis Cup player Jackie Brichant second, Kurt Nielsen of Denmark third, Mike Davies of Britain fourth, Giuseppe Merlo of Italy fifth and Pierre Darmon of France sixth.—United Press.

NAMESAKES



- 1 Not of Sark
- 2 Terrestrial art
- 3 Army group
- 4 Of Eden
- 5 This garden
- 6 Such a call
- 7 Acting
- 8 Worn on the feet
- 9 She dances
- 10 Swind Lake for instance
- 11 Fare this
- 12 Sets the place
- 13 Amuse

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Solution on Page 9

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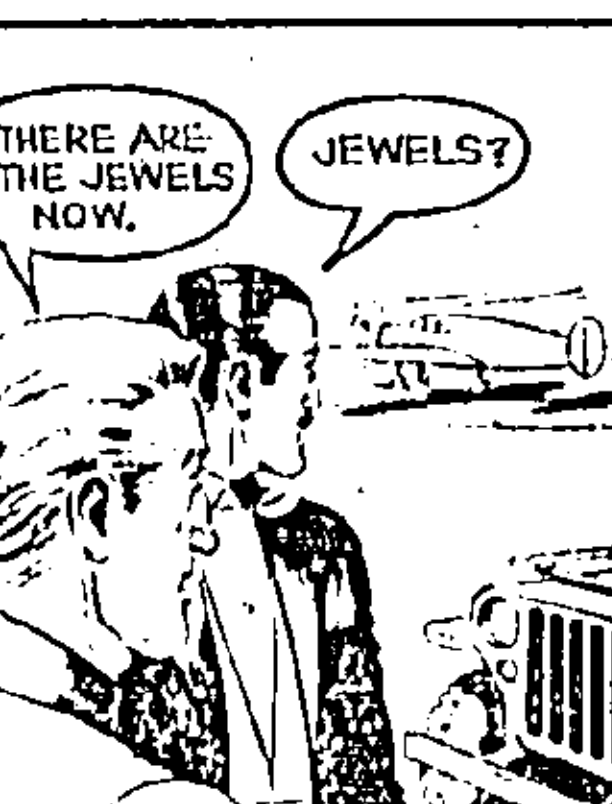
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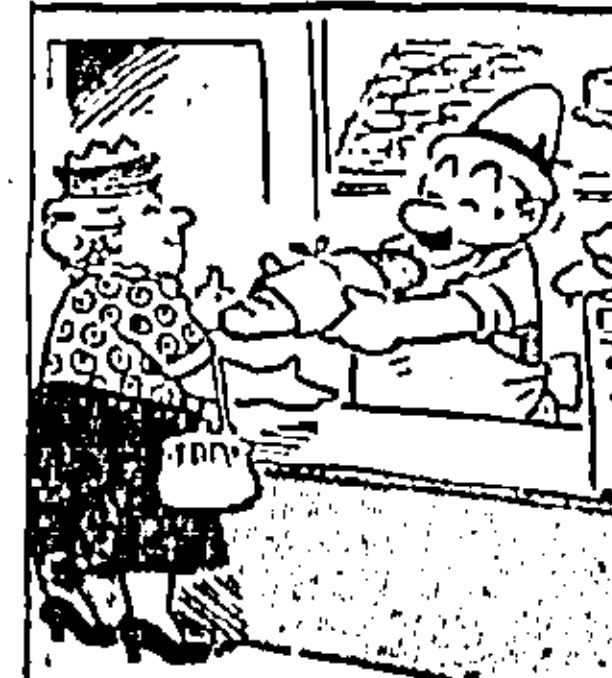
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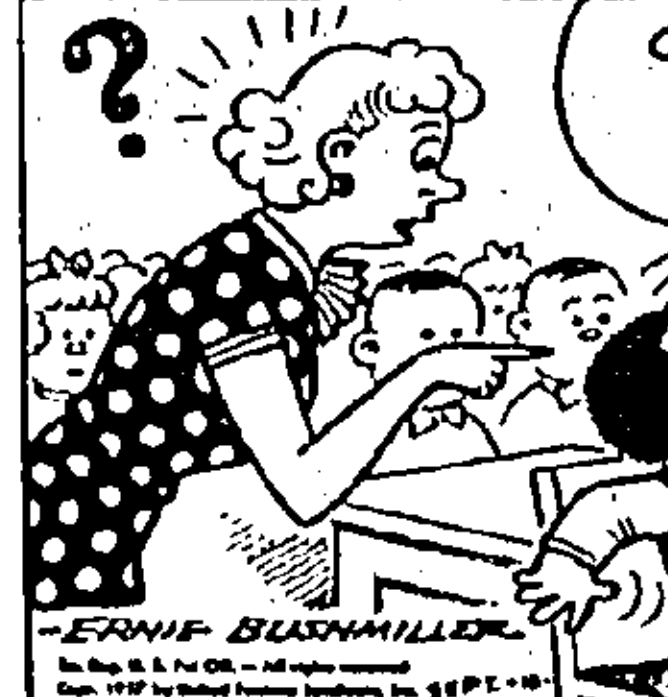
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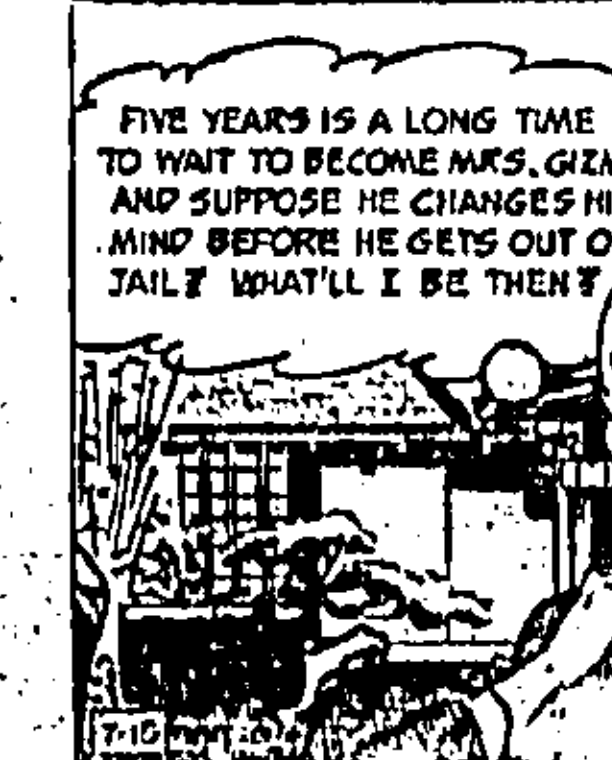
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FOURTH RACE MEETING

Saturday 23rd and Sunday 30th November 1957

(To be held under the Rules of the Hong Kong Jockey Club)

THE PROGRAMME WILL CONSIST OF 18 RACES.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and the First Race run at 2.00 p.m. on both days.

The Secretary's Office at Alexandra House will close at 11.45 a.m. on both days.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

NO PERSON WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED. All persons MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the meeting.

Admission Badges at \$10.00 each per day are obtained from the Club's Cash Sweep Office, at Queen's Building, Chater Road and 382 Nathan Road only on the written introduction of a Member, who will be responsible for all visitors introduced by him.

Tickets will be obtainable at the Club House if ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 72811).

The 6th Floor is restricted to Members and Ladies wearing Lady's Broomstick.

NO CHILDREN will be admitted to the Club's premises during the Meeting. For this purpose a Child is a person under the age of seventeen years, Western Standard.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission will be \$3.00 each per day payable at the Gate.

Any person leaving the Enclosure will be required to pay the requisite fee of \$3.00 in order to gain re-admission.

MEALS and REFRESHMENTS will be obtainable in the RESTAURANT.

SERVANTS

Servants must remain in their employers' boxes except for passing through on their duties. They may on no account use the Betting Booths or Pay Out Booths in the Enclosures.

CASH SWEEPS

Through Cash Sweep Tickets at \$10.00 each per day and \$32.00 each for both days may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices at Queen's Building, (Chater Road), and 5, D'Almeida Street during normal office hours and until 11.00 a.m. on the day of the Race Meeting.

Particular numbers within the series 1 to 3,000 may be reserved for all race meetings as Through Tickets. Such tickets will be issued consecutively only and the right is reserved by the Stewards to cancel any reservation for Through Tickets for a particular Meeting if it is found that sales may not reach the number reserved in the series 1 to 3,000.

In the case of two-day Race Meetings, Through Tickets may be purchased for each day of the Meeting provided that the second day is on a date not less than five days after the first day. In all other cases Through Tickets will only be sold for the whole Meeting.

Tickets reserved and available but not paid for by 10.00 a.m. on Friday, 22nd November will be sold and the reservation cancelled, for future Meetings.

Tickets over 3,000 will also be issued consecutively but particular numbers cannot be reserved as Through Tickets.

The reservation of any particular number does not confer on the registered holder any rights whatsoever unless the ticket bearing the appropriate number is issued to and can be produced by the holder.

The Stewards reserve the right to refuse any subscription also the right to remove any name from Subscription Lists without stating reasons for their action.

Cash Sweep Tickets on the last race of the Meeting at \$2.00 each may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices at Queen's Building (Chater Road), 5, D'Almeida Street and 382 Nathan Road during normal office hours and until 11.00 a.m. on the day of the Race Meeting.

SPECIAL CASH SWEEP

Tickets for the Special Cash Sweep on the Pearce Memorial Cup scheduled to be run on 25th January, 1958, at \$2.00 each, may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices.

TOTALISATOR

Backers are advised not to destroy or throw away their tickets until after the "all clear" signal has been exhibited.

ALL WINNING TICKETS AND TICKETS FOR REFUND MUST BE PRESENTED FOR PAYMENT AT THE RACE COURSE ON THE DAY TO WHICH THEY REFER, NOT LATER THAN ONE HOUR AFTER THE TIME FOR WHICH THE LAST RACE OF THE DAY HAS BEEN SCHEDULED TO BE RUN.

PAYMENTS WILL NOT BE MADE ON TORN OR DISFIGURED TICKETS.

Bookmakers, Tie Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club.

By Order of the Stewards, A. E. ARNOLD, Secretary.

Sports Diary

TODAY

HKFA Council Meeting at Sports Road, 6 p.m.
Hastings
Senior Mixed Doubles: CCC v HKU
Men's "B" Division: CYMCA v Yau & Old, Giants v Tai Hang, CCC v Recreation.

TOMORROW

First Day of Four Race Meeting, Happy Valley, 2 p.m.
1st Division: CCC v HK, Army "South" v Navy, Scorpions v Optimists, Police v Army "North", KCC v R.A.F.
2nd Division: KGV v Dockyard, "South" v "North", HK v KCC "Waves", R.A.F. v HKU.
3rd Division: King Tao v Jardines (Club), Kwong Wah v C.A.A. (BS), both matches at 4 p.m.
Reserve Division: King Tao v Army (Club), 4.30 p.m.; Police v Boat Club (BS), 5.30 p.m.
4th Division: RASC v Telephone (BY) 4 p.m.; St. Joseph's v C & W (BY) 4 p.m.; Gymnastic v Talkoo (BY) 4 p.m.
Division: South China v HKU (BY) 4.30 p.m.; Mercantile v AFS (BY) 4 p.m.

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Notice to Shareholders

NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that the Thirty-fifth
Ordinary Meeting of the
Company's Shareholders will
be held at 12 o'clock noon on
Saturday, 14th December,
1957, in the Company's Hong
Kong Office, St. George's
Building, 2nd floor, Chater
Road, Victoria, Hong Kong,
for the purpose of:-

1. Receiving the Statement of Accounts and Report of the Directors for the year ended 30th September, 1957.
2. Electing two Directors.
3. Appointing Auditors and fixing their remuneration.
4. Confirming the Interim Dividend of 30 cents per share, and sanctioning the recommendation of the Directors as to the payment of a Final Dividend of 80 cents per share, in respect of fully paid "old" shares.

The Transfer Books and Register of Shareholders will be closed as from 28th November, 1957, to 14th December, 1957, both days inclusive.

Dividend Warrants will be available for collection, or will be dealt with in accordance with standing instructions, on or after 16th December, 1957.

Dated at Hong Kong this 21st day of November, 1957.

By Order of the Board of Directors
A. A. M. ONSLOW,
Secretary & Chief Accountant.

NOTICE

IN THE ESTATE OF CHARLES
GEORGE CHAY LATE OF 90
GIA YU LANE APARTMENTS
MACAO, DECEASED.
NOTICE IN THE COLONY OF
HONG KONG, MERCHANT,
DECEASED.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased are requested to send full particulars thereof forthwith to the undersigned.

Dated this 21st day of November, 1957.
DEACONS,
Solicitors & Notaries,
1 Des Voeux Road Central,
Hong Kong,
Solicitors for the Executors.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

S.S. "CHANGTSE"
arrd. 29th November, 1957.
Damaged cargo ex this vessel will be surveyed by Messrs Goddard & Douglas at 10 a.m. on Saturday, 23rd November and Monday, 25th November, 1957 and consignees representatives are requested to be present during survey.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents,
Australian-oriental Line Ltd.,
The China Navigation Co., Ltd.

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents,
Hong Kong, November 22, 1957.

War Against Australia's Wild Dogs—The Dingoes

Melbourne, Nov. 21.
AUSTRALIA is stepping up the war against dingoes, the wild dogs which cost the country millions of pounds a year in stock losses.

Aircraft are being used in the latest phase of the battle to spread poison baits over thousands of acres of dingo breeding land.

Mrs Alice Stevens, postmistress of Tomalla, in the heart of one of the baited centres of New South Wales welcomed this move. "Whatever it costs, it will be worth while," she exclaimed. "The dingoes are terrible—worse than they have been in the 38 years I have been here. You can hear them howling all the time and sometimes they come within 150 yards of the house."

Helpless

In the hope of keeping the dingoes at bay, she said, "we are putting a five-foot fence round our 3,000-acre property. If there are no sheep for the dingoes to kill, they go for the calves, chasing them until they are helpless against the kill."

Mrs Stevens added that dingoes had driven kangaroos out of forest areas. Even dogs are not safe from them, she declared.

"We try to keep track of the dingoes, one neighbour warning another when they are approaching."

Aircraft chartered by the New South Wales Government dropped 20,000 strychnine-laced baits over a State forest

80 miles from Newcastle in one recent drive. Graziers said that the forests owned by the Government shelter the dingoes.

The Royal Australian Air Force is co-operating by spreading poison baits in areas of Victoria inaccessible from the ground because of the rugged terrain and therefore ideal for dingo family rearing.

Exterminated

With myxomatosis, Australia has exterminated unwanted millions of rabbits, a far more vicious economic menace than any other imported pest. But this reduced the dingoes' food resources so that they are now making greater inroads into the stock.

Dingoes are cropping up in numbers in places where previously they were almost unknown. Last year, several were trapped at Healdville, only 40 miles from Melbourne, where there is a population of more than 1,500,000.

In Queensland, the estimated value of stock lost each year is £2,400,000 (£2,400,000 sterling).

To keep the menace in check, the Government has closed in nearly half of Queensland's 970,000 square miles of grazing land inside what is believed to be the world's longest wire fence to protect 18,000,000 sheep and 700,000 head of cattle.

There are 8,500 miles of this six-foot high wire fence to restrain marauding by the killer packs. The fence is nearly finished and has cost £2,600,000 (£2,600,000). It links up with a similar fence which extends

across the top of South Australia. The two fences have been erected in such a way that it is hoped that they will prevent the dingoes from working south and east.

But fences do not kill, and hide them as well as beyond the barriers, the fight must go on year in and year out against a beast which kills for lust as much as for food.

The traditional combat factors are the professional doggers—hardened bushmen who all their skill and gear against their wild cunning. There are traps, guns, dogs, poison in wide variety and a variety of methods of attack and lure for the dingo is not easily fooled and, once bitten, he is twice shy.

Every dingo has a price on his head. That price can range from a government scrap bounty to a fancy figure running to many pounds.

One notorious dingo in New South Wales, for example, had a price of £210 (£210) but before the longer caught with the dingo, it had slain an estimated 200 sheep in six months.

Yellow Dog

The vicious, courageous "yellow dog" which is more often seen in the colour ranging from black through fawn to dirty white, can be found in every Australian State, except Tasmania. He would have been taken, too, but for the care taken to exclude his introduction by sea.

Just how long ago the dingo got to the landhold on the mainland of Australia is, of course, conjecture.

Scientists are agreed that it was brought in, in unnumbered years ago with the antecedents of what is known as the Australian "aborigine."

Professor Wood-Jones, noted authority and one time Professor of Anatomy in the University of Adelaide, said that any idea that the dingo originated in Australia "should once and for all be dismissed from literature having any pretence to scientific accuracy."

The evolution of a modified northern wolf in an isolated section of the southern hemisphere, tenanted solely by birds, marsupials and a few stray rodents and bats is a thing which is ecologically inconceivable.

Immigrants

He was convinced that the dingoes and the dingo were both immigrants. Both had come from the same northern homeland, both finished their long migration with a sea voyage.

The dingo runs true to wolf form. Some aborigines can use him as a hunting dog, but there is never complete domestication. In cross-breeding with mongrel dogs which attack themselves, the progeny display the wild hunting instincts, pack and individual cunning, fearlessness, ruthlessness, tenacity.

The crossbred weighs sometimes as much as 100 lbs. of the true dingo which takes toll of Australian pastoral flocks and herds.—China Mail Special.

Bottle-Peter, The Dane, Put Nearly 2,000 Ships In Bottles

By CAROL COCHILL

Copenhagen, Nov. 21.

A tiny motor-vessel in Copenhagen harbour today houses a nautical exhibition which is claimed to be a unique in the world.

On board, visitors are treated to a display of 300 bottles of varying shapes and sizes, all containing "built-in" ships.

All these "ships in bottles" have been built by one man, 84-year-old Peter Jacobson, or "Bottle-Peter" as the Danes call him, and in fact comprise only a small part of a collection created by him over the last 70 years.

TWO DECADES

"Bottle-Peter" learnt how to build ship models from his father, who was a fisherman, but it was not until he himself went to sea, at the age of 14, that he began mounting them in bottles. During more than two decades of sailing all over the world, this became his chief hobby.

When he finally settled on land at the beginning of the century, he spent all the spare time he could afford from lin-lin-keeping and other activities in which he engaged in increasing his unusual collection.

The equipment which he required was primitive, consisting only of a steel wire and a pen knife. After building the ship models outside the bottle, he would insert them in a bed of putty on the "floor" of the bottle and then hoist masts and rigging with the aid of his wires. These were later camouflaged as, for instance, anchor chains.

While using pine wood for smaller models, "Bottle-Peter" found cedar wood more suitable for the larger ones.

THE HISTORY

One "bottled ship" could take up to 200 hours to make, but for the creator it was a labour of love and he never exploited his talents commercially. He gave away many of his works and there is therefore no certainty as to how many he has built, although he himself has said the figure is about 1,800.

The ships range from Viking "long boats" to modern cruisers and are, according to their creator, intended to portray the history of sea-faring.

"Bottle-Peter" is meticulous in supplying plausible "bottled" backgrounds, whether they con-

sist of tropical or Scandinavian ports or simply of light houses on the high seas. Sometimes the ships are somewhat inconspicuously dressed in a bullet skirt, on a buoy in mid-ocean to "brighten" the scene.

The bottles he uses—and which he insists that he has personally emptied before use—are both square and round. Sometimes he mounted vessels in a limp bulb or in a glass pistol. One of his most popular works is a large round bottle divided into two storeys representing life above water and life beneath it and showing a diver descending from a patrol vessel to investigate a sunken wreck.

The bottles, though usually normal in size, are sometimes almost 30 inches long and contain up to 10 ships.

WORLD EVENTS

The collection, besides reflecting his minute knowledge of ship construction, also reveals "Bottle-Peter's" interest in world events. One of his most detailed works thus shows British, American and Russian craft in Copenhagen on Liberation Day in 1945 while another illustrates an incident which took place in Norwegian waters a year ago when Norwegian fishing vessels hunted trespassing Soviet trawlers.

The fact that "Bottle-Peter" is now going blind has caused him to give up his hobby. In 1942, he gave a large part of his collection—240 ships in all—to the town of Aeroeskoebing on the island of Aroer, where he is now living.

Since then, he has acted as guardian of the museum which the town erected to house them. He himself has been given a free flat on the museum premises.

Both Danes and foreign tourists have shown great interest in the museum which, in season, is visited by 500 people a day.

The remaining 300 ships in his collection "Bottle-Peter" have this year been sold to a Copenhagen businessman, Mr. Johannes Thomsen, who has installed them in an 80-ton motor vessel, with which he intends to tour Europe and

After visiting Brussels for the World Fair next year, Mr. Thomsen hopes to take his exhibits to the United States.

The sum for which the collection has been purchased has been kept a secret, but it is known that it insured for 100,000 Danish Crowns (about £5,000). Each bottle in itself has little value. It is as an example of an art which, like the wine-making which it so often depicts, is dying in our mechanised age, that the cargo of the little Danish motor vessel commands respect.

LAST JOURNEY

"Bottle-Peter" himself is thrilled at the prospect of his fleet of boats in bottles going to sea. But for safety's sake he has ensured that some of them will also follow him on his own last journey.

One of the main exhibits at the Aeroeskoebing museum is thus a grave stone, consisting of a cross in silver-painted concrete with seven small niches, each containing a bottle with a miniature sailing ship.—China Mail Special.

STRIKERS END DEADLOCK IN CEYLON

Colombo, Nov. 21.

Some 10,000 workers from Colombo Railways and Government workshops today decided to end their one-day strike at midnight after Premier Solomon Bandaranaike agreed to a temporary wage increase.

The decision was reached at a meeting earlier today attended by Premier Bandaranaike and members of his government and strikers' representatives.

The strikers accepted Bandaranaike's offer pending the report of a salaries commission to be instituted shortly. They warned the Premier that if his promise was not implemented by November 29, they would resume their strike.

THE JAMES DEAN STORY



James Dean sits alone in an empty theatre in a scene from "The James Dean Story," now showing at the Queen's and Alhambra.

HERE is another idol of youth. "The James Dean Story" begins with the shot of a car. Or rather of a heap of twisted metal. I was quite candid when my opinion was sought on the value of the film.

I told the exhibitors that the method of telling the story of this ill-starred youth would be well nigh unintelligible locally.

The Queen's and the Alhambra are putting it on this afternoon. The film is like looking at a family photo album. Really! Because many of the shots are stills taken from snapshots of Dean. Meanwhile a commentary is given by people who knew Dean at some time or other, and as many of them talk in a dialect unknown to me, I just couldn't get one word in six.

I suppose James Dean was an extraordinary young man. He never lived to prove whether he was the genius some proclaim him to be. Or say he would have been.

Quite to the point, this exploitation of neurosis is getting on my nerves. In spite of comic papers, eccentricity and genius are not co-extensive terms.

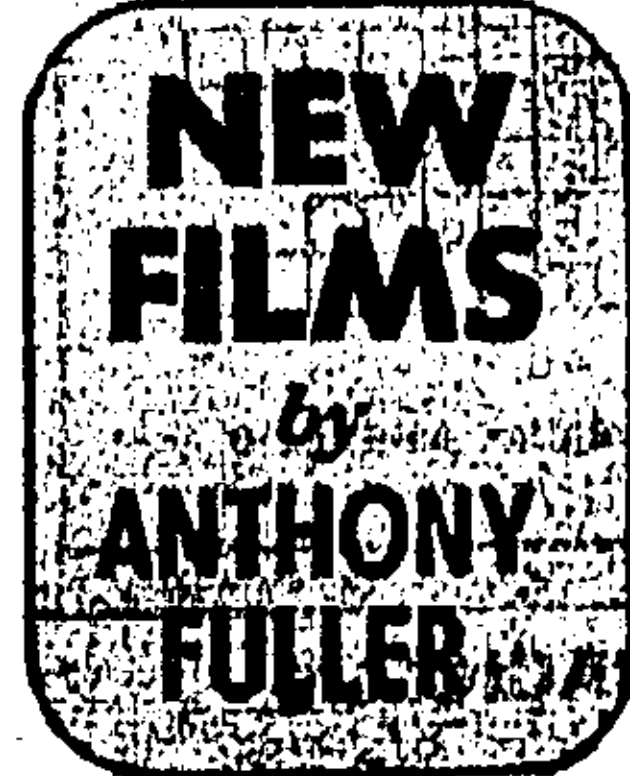
We learn to forgive a lot, tolerate a lot, endure a lot from people who in

return render some service to our age that adorns an achievement of our generation.

But that youth should be plunged in woe because a neurotic youth huris his car at breakneck speed along a highway, and kills himself and others seems to me an unworthy thing.

That we should be asked to join in the lamentation is too much. What does he mean to the youth of Hongkong?

I think this is a picture prompted by the remarkable publicity the States film



magazines gave to this young man. And some of it was very nice, and one magazine more than suggested that the accident was not an accident.

Whether I am right or wrong will be seen. How long will the film endure in Hongkong?

China Mail Entertainment Guide

WHAT'S ON TONIGHT

KING'S & PRINCESS: "Gunfight at the O.K. Corral." Burt Lancaster and Kirk Douglas in the wildest gunfight ever.

QUEEN'S & ALHAMBRA: "The James Dean Story." The late James Dean in his own story.

ROXY & BROADWAY: "Stopover Tokyo." Robert Wagner, Joan Collins and Edmond O'Brien. Adventure in Japan.

STAR & METROPLEX: "The Midnight Story." Tony Curtis, Marisa Pavan and Gilbert Roland. A powerful drama.

HOOVER & LIBERTY: "Action Of The Tiger." Van Johnson, Martine Carol and Herbert Lom in Communist Albania.

TELEVISION

5 p.m., Children's Hour—Cartoons: 5.15, Puppet Theatre; 5.30, "Cluck Kid"; 6, Close Down.

7.30, "Meet The Stars" Presented by Eddie China: 7.45, News: 8, Cantones Film: "A Love Story Of The West Chamber" (Part 1): 8.30, "Watch The World": Sports Hour: Presented by Jack Sloane: 9, "Dragnet": 9.30, Cantones News Headlines, Weather Report and Announcements. Close Down.

Judge Ignores Father's Wish

Nashville, Nov. 21.

Judge Sam Davis today ruled that a 13-year-old boy should have a blood transfusion to help his recovery from a compound fractured leg.

James O'Dell Garves, father of the boy and a member of "Jesus's Witnesses" declared before the decision that "if my son must die, he will die."

MAIL NOTICES

The latest times of posting shows below are those for unregistered correspondence posted as G.P.O. Hongkong. The latest posting times elsewhere which, in general, are earlier than the G.P.O. times can be ascertained by enquiry at the local office.

The latest posting times for registered articles are generally one hour earlier than the unregistered times. Particulars regarding parcel mail can be ascertained by enquiry at any post office.

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Hawaii, 6 p.m.

From the Files 25 years AGO

TWO small rubber balloons filled with illicit opium were found concealed on a Chinese ship who was arrested at the Canton Wharf by Revenue Department men. One of the containers was in the man's mouth and the other tied round his waist. He was fined \$150 by Mr. Scholfield.

Seven cases of diphtheria with two deaths, six cases of typhoid with one death and one case of puerperal fever with one death were reported to the health authorities last week, while deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis totalled 40.

WHILE traversing the parade ground at Shamshuipo Camp, a coolie was thrown from a lorry by the uneven nature of the ground, and received head injuries which resulted in his being taken to Kowloon Hospital.

TO LET: Modern flats comprising three living rooms, two bedrooms, spacious bath, large verandah, and good servants quarters in Katherine Building, Nathan Road, Kowloon. Rents from \$110.

MEMBERS of the Hongkong Football Club gathered at the Club to bid farewell to Mr. H. M. McTavish, Hon. Secretary of the Club prior to his departure for England.

A pact of non-aggression was signed between France and Soviet Russia at the Quai D'Orsay today.

A RAT may be dangerous pest but the law will allow any cruelty to it. This was the lesson learnt by a Chinese who was charged before Mr. A. W. Hay in Singapore. It was stated that the accused had poured kerosene on the animal and set it on fire while it was in the trap. His worship asked the accused how he would like to be burnt alive and imposed a fine of \$5.

A huge quantity of crockery stored in a godown at 7 Chi On Lane was stolen by burglars when intruders gained admittance by forcing the hinges from the door. Although 350 pieces were removed, the majority of them were thrown down the stairs when it was found that the entire haul could not be conveniently removed.

THE Hongkong Police team for the annual soccer match against the Canton Police are: G. J. Perkins; C. Blackburn; C. D. Bowman; L. M. H. Chan; Channing; A. B. Brittain; T. Pile; G. C. Moss; J. Johnston; J. L. Stevens and C. Pilo. Reserves: Williams and Wheeler.

Partly on account of the bulk of the expenditure for the new vehicular ferry falling due during the current year, partly because of the omission of certain departmental salaries from the estimate, and partly due to improvements adopted, an additional vote of \$200,000 was passed at yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council. The improvement include an alternative berth at Jordan Road and readjustment to permit off-end loading of passengers.

AT a meeting of the Finance Committee following the Council Meeting, at which the Colonial Secretary, the Hon. W. T. Southern, presided, votes totalling \$30,958 were approved.

Breathing gas into her mouth, and then lighting it, an Osaka woman committed suicide last week. A doctor had recently told her she had cancer of the stomach.

KAREN REBELS SURRENDER

Rangoon, Nov. 21.
Altogether 187 Karen rebels, including two high-ranking officers, surrendered to Burmese Government forces yesterday at Thabein, about 180 miles past of Rangoon, it was learned today.

Last week, a large group of Communist rebels surrendered at Fyinhpaung.

Reports today from Monywa, Upper Burma, indicated that a group of 30 Communist rebels would negotiate their surrender with a Government representative during the next few weeks.—REUTERS.

Japan's Appeal To GATT

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SHEAFFER'S
ADMIRAL "SNORKEL" PEN

Jurisdiction Question Forms Argument At Habeas Corpus Hearing

Arguments that a Full Court had no jurisdiction to hear a particular application for a writ of habeas corpus because the notice of motion had not been correctly prepared were heard this morning.

Government Appointments Gazetted

The Hon. D. R. Holmes has been appointed Chairman of the Urban Council and Director of Urban Services, vice Mr E. B. Teesdale. It was notified in today's Government Gazette.

Mr A. P. Richardson has been appointed Assistant Secretary, Colonial Secretariat, and Mr G. W. Stubb Assistant Secretary (Exchange Control), Colonial Secretariat.

Other appointments, transfers, promotions and postings announced in the Gazette are:

Mr B. I. Barlow has been appointed a Deputy Clerk of Councils.

Mr R. Thompson to be an Assistant Secretary, Urban Council.

Mr C. Cairns, to be Assistant Director of Marine (Port Control); Mr G. R. Pickett, to be Acting Commissioner of Prisons during the absence of Mr C. J. Norman; Mr L. Blumenthal, to be Acting Assistant Commissioner vice Mr Pickett.

Mr R. Fairbairn resumed duty as Chief Building Surveyor, P.W.D., on return from leave; Mr P. Shawe ceased to act as Chief Building Surveyor, P.W.D., on resumption of duty by Mr Fairbairn; Mr G. B. Thomson ceased to act as Assistant Chief Building Surveyor on resumption of duty by Mr Shawe; Mr A. F. Evans promoted to Senior Quantity Surveyor.

Mr Lim Tuck-ling ceased to act as Assessor, Inland Revenue Department, on resumption of duty by Mrs G. I. Barlow.

Monsoon Signal

The strong monsoon signal—the Black Ball—was hoisted at 10.15 a.m. today. There will be fresh and locally strong easterly winds, but the weather will be fine.

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SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"No, I'm not surprised you're quitting to get married, Miss Blair—I guessed you were the domestic type when I saw your spilling!"

Inquest On Two Men Who Died After Explosion

An inquest on two men who died following a boiler explosion at 393, Lockhart Road, ground floor, on August 10 was held before Mr G. R. Sneath, sitting as Coroner, and a jury of two women and one man at Central Court this morning.

The deceased were Chan Lam, 35, of 624, Shanghai Street, first floor, and Wong Ho, 36, of 455, "N" Block, Li Cheng Uk Village. Chan Lam died as a result of extensive scalds and fracture of the skull, with intra-cranial haemorrhage and concussion, according to Dr Bernard Tai of Queen Mary Hospital.

The cause of death in the case of Wong Ho was extensive scalds.

AN EXPERIMENT

Mr Lo Tak-fuk, owner of the premises at which the explosion took place, said in evidence Chan Lam in May approached him with a proposition to erect a boiler on the premises to extract misoed oil at his premises. Mr Lo said he consented to the proposal and gave Chan Lam money to purchase and install a boiler and distiller at the rear of the premises. Later on Chan Lam also brought Wong Ho to the premises to carry out the experiment.

On the afternoon of August 10 he went for a swim and returned to the premises about 7 p.m. Standing in the front part of the premises, he suddenly heard an explosion from the roof top of 400 Lockhart Road. Hearing is continuing.

Licensing Board To Meet

The Board of Licensing Justices for the New Territories will meet in the Court Room, District Office, Yuen Long, on Wednesday, December 11, at noon to consider applications for liquor licences in the district. It was notified in the Government Gazette today.

New Pharmacist

The name of Mr Fan Mong-chung, 80 Kennedy Road, first floor, has been added to the list of registered pharmacists, the Government Gazette notified today.

Thefts From Cars

A Chinese was arrested following the theft of windscreen wipers from a lorry and a private car parked in Oil Street yesterday afternoon. Some clothing was stolen from an unlocked private car parked near the Bookman's Sports Ground yesterday.

Amendments To HK Air Navigation Regulations

The Government Gazette today announced amendments to the Hongkong Air Navigation (General) Regulations, 1955, to bring them into line with similar regulations existing in the United Kingdom.

The purpose of the amendments is:

- To remove from the "A Conditions" under which aircraft may fly within the Colony unregistered or without a certificate of airworthiness the condition confining flights by such aircraft to a limited distance from the aerodrome of departure.
- To impose revised requirements specifying the food and water to be carried in dinghies forming part of the safety equipment of public transport aeroplanes.
- To specify the types of flight upon which public transport aircraft are required to carry a flight navigator as an additional member of the operating crew.
- To impose revised visual, colour perception, and hearing standards to be applied to applicants for the grant or renewal of a licence to fly.
- To take account of the provisions of the Air Navigation (Fifth Amendment) Order, 1957, (relating to flying hours) by deleting (see regulation 5) the requirement for a further medical examination if a total of 125 hours has been exceeded.

REQUIRED

The Gazette also announced amendments to the Hongkong Air Navigation (Radio) Regulations, 1956. The purpose is to incorporate therein the amendments made in the UK by recent regulations. The opportunity has been taken to correct two minor typographical errors.

TRAINING CTE

Mr A. Storarr has been appointed a member of the Standing Committee on Technical and Vocational Training, from November 13, 1957 to June 30, 1958. It was notified in the Government Gazette today.

LEOPARD CUB KILLED BY N.T. FARMER

By A CHINA MAIL REPORTER

A villager in Sheung Yeung Village, just off Clearwater Bay Road, killed what is believed to be a leopard cub last night. The young animal, it was estimated, weighed about eight or nine pounds and measured about a foot from nose to hindquarters. The tail was about as long as the body.

FIVE MORE YEARS FOR A PRISONER

A 32-year-old prisoner, Cheung Siu-ko, who is serving an 18-month term at Stanley Prison, was this morning given an additional sentence of five years plus six strokes of the cane by Mr Justice A. D. Scholes at the Criminal Sessions for robbery with aggravation and receiving stolen property.

Defendant pleaded guilty to robbing a woman, Kung Ah-ying, of \$132 and a quantity of gold ornaments at her house on the first floor of 10 Yih Cheong Street, Yau-mai, on the morning of September 1.

Outlining the case, Mr W. A. Blair-Kerr, Senior Crown Counsel, said defendant entered complainant's house with another man not in custody. Armed with a sharp instrument they put the woman in fear and, with a pair of scissors, they pried open a drawer from where the valuables were stolen.

Accused, said Mr Blair-Kerr, had nine convictions for larceny, burglary, breach of deportation order and manhandling, for which he served a number of years in prison. His last sentence for which he was now serving was for failure to report while under police supervision.

Mr Justice Scholes ordered that the sentence be passed consecutively to the accused's present sentence.

Recognition Of Consuls

The Queen's Exequatur empowering Mr A. R. Dornheim to act as Consul for the United States of America at Hongkong has received Her Majesty's signature. It was announced in today's Government Gazette.

The Queen's Exequatur empowering Mr Arnaldo Augusto de Oliveira Sales to act as Honorary Vice-Consul for Spain at Hongkong has also received Her Majesty's signature.

Provisional recognition has been accorded to Senor Miguel Carlos Maria Augusto De Martini as Consul for Argentina.

Free Meals For Fire Victims

As a result of the fire which broke out last night at Un Chau Street, Cheungshawan, a total of 1,087 persons have registered as homeless, the Social Welfare Office announced this morning. Free meals were this morning distributed, and CARE blankets will be distributed by the Shamshuipo Social Welfare Centre this afternoon.

May Be Struck Off

The Government Gazette announced today that the name of Delman's of Hongkong Ltd. will be struck off the register and the company will be dissolved three months from today unless cause is shown to the contrary.

Govt Tenders

Tenders for construction of a store and shelter at Bowen Road Police Recreation Ground were called for in today's Government Gazette.

LIZ TAYLOR AND HUSBAND LEAVE

Elizabeth Taylor, the famous Hollywood actress, accompanied by her husband, Mike Todd, left for Tokyo by PAA this morning after a short visit here. They were seen off by film distributors and a large gathering of their friends.

Threw Acid At Wife After Tiff

Pleading guilty to throwing corrosive acid with intent at his wife, Li Wai-lam, 44, of Apichau, was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment by Mr Justice A. D. Scholes at the Criminal Sessions this morning.

Mr W. A. Blair-Kerr, Senior Crown Counsel, started the case on the evening of September 15, accused had a quarrel with his wife over money matters. The next morning, while complainant was still asleep, he threw some corrosive acid at her. Complainant immediately got up and put her head under the water tap to wash the acid off.

Mr Blair-Kerr said that he was glad to say that the injuries were slight and that the marks on her face had completely cleared up. He added, however, that there was a certain amount of premeditation on accused's part. He bought the acid, and there was the lapse of time between the purchase and the act of throwing the acid.

Emphasising the seriousness of the offence when he passed sentence, Mr Justice Scholes said that it was fortunate that the injuries were slight and that accused had no police record.

Appeal For Toys For Blind

An appeal by the Violet Pool Eye Clinic for old toys has been launched for their annual Christmas party for blind children on December 14.

Organised by the Government Ophthalmic Service, this annual party, which has been held for the last three years, will entertain nearly 300 blind children of the age of 21 years.

A SUCCESS

The children will be drawn from various institutions, but over half of them will come from individual homes. To make the party a success the Violet Pool Eye Clinic in Wah-chai is asking the public to donate toys or gifts of cash.

These can be sent to the Clinic at the Southern District Court, Wah-chai, or the Arnan Street Eye Clinic in Shamshuipo, or arrangements can be made to have the gifts picked up by either clinic.

Police Reserve Resignations

The Government Gazette today announced that the following have resigned their appointments in the Hongkong Police Reserve: Mr T. O. Tam-on, Assistant Commissioner; Mr William Eu Keng-yet, Mr Patrick Yu Shuk-siu and Mr Yung Kwok-yue, Assistant Superintendents.

Change Of Road Name Proposed

The Urban Council proposes to change the name of that part of Garden Road between the roundabout and Albany Road to Robinson Road, and the name of that part of Bowen Road between the roundabout and the Commodore's house to Wazirine Garden Road. The Government Gazette notified today.

Mr Alan Westoby, J.P., has been appointed an Honorary Representative at the Australian Government Trade Commission, which was notified in today's Government Gazette.

Talks Going On At Dockyard

Negotiations for a settlement are still proceeding between workers and H.M. Dockyard authorities this morning following the short sit-down strike called by about 400 electricians yesterday to protest against dismissal of some of their colleagues.

A Navy spokesman said union representatives from both left and right factions saw the Commandant's Civil Secretary this morning for the second time since yesterday for discussions.

He did not say if any settlement had been reached, but added: "Work is now proceeding normally."

Toll Of The Road

A Chinese pedestrian was knocked down and fatally injured by a private car in Austin Road, near Nathan Road yesterday afternoon.

The victim, Sam Ho, aged 23, died in the Kowloon Hospital at about 10 o'clock last night.

A four-year-old boy, Ng Kwok-ling, was injured when he was struck by a private car in Chatham Road at about 4.45 p.m. yesterday. The boy was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital in a serious condition.

A private car knocked down and seriously injured 30-year-old Lui Sek in Castle Peak Road, near Hing Wah Street, shortly after 8 o'clock last night.

The injured man was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

Registrars Of Societies

The Government Gazette announced today the following appointments in connection to the Societies Ordinance:

To be Registrar of Societies—The Commissioner of Police. To be Assistant Registrars of Societies—The Director and Assistant Directors, Special Branch; Hongkong Police Force; and the Director and Assistant Directors of Criminal Investigation, Hongkong Police Force.

HOME GUARD

The Government Gazette announced today that 2/Lieut. W. D. White has been promoted Lieutenant in the Home Guard.